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THE WEATHER

Showers are predicted for today and fair conditions for tomorrow by the Washington weather bureau for Pittsburgh and vicinity. Yesterday's maximum temperature was 88 and the minimum 73. The rainfall amounted to .44 of an inch. The sun rose clear at 4:37 and set cloudy at 7:34 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office follows:

Showers.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.98	80	69	N.W.	Clear
8 p. m.	29.96	77	77	W.	Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for July 10:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum	76	86	Mean	70	76
Minimum	65	65	Precipitation	42	0

Max. tem. 10 a. m. 85 | Ex. since January 1 371
Min. tem. 5 a. m. 75 | Nor. prec., 31 years .16
Mean tem. 81 | Precip. for the day. .44
Nor. tem., 31 years 78 | Ex. for the day .28
Ex. for the day 5 | Ex. since July 1 3.68
Ex. since July 1 46 | Ex. since Jan'y 1 3.68

Government Weather Report.

Western Pennsylvania—Showers Saturday; Sunday fair; fresh west winds.

Ohio—Occasional showers and thunderstorms Saturday and probably Sunday; fresh west to southwest winds.

West Virginia—Scattered showers and thunderstorms Saturday and Sunday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cincinnati	80 Clear	Indianapolis	82 PtCldy
Columbus	74 Cloudy	Washington	80 Cloudy
Chicago	72 Cloudy	Philadelphia	86 Cloudy
Omaha	84 Clear	El Paso	96 PtCldy
New York	82 Clear	Cairo	86 Cloudy
Cleveland	80 Clear	St. Louis	88 Clear
Louisville	90 Clear	Marquette	68 Rain
Buffalo	76 PtCldy	Bismarck	66 Clear
Oklahoma	88 Clear	St. Paul	78 Clear
Kansas City	92 Clear	Huron	80 Clear

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived July 10.

New York—Island from Copenhagen, Sylvania from Liverpool, Furst Bismarck from Hamburg.

Naples—Lombardia from New York.

Genoa—Saldegua from Cadiz, Cambroman from Boston.

Sailed July 10.

New York—Arabic for Liverpool.

Southampton—Bleucher for New York.

Queenstown—Statendam (from New York) for Liverpool.

Glasgow—Siberian for Philadelphia.

Liverpool—Celtic for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—New stock opera company in "Pirates of Penzance," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Concerts by Rocereto's band, afternoon and evenings; steeplechase house full of attractions.

OAKWOOD PARK—Bryant & Seville's minstrels and a vaudeville bill at 3 and 8:30 p. m. daily.

SOUTHERN PARK—Special vaudeville bill at 3 and 8:30 p. m. daily.

EXPOSITION PARK—Pittsburgh vs. Boston National league championship game, 3 p. m.

COLLEGE STUDENTS WILL WORK AS FARMHANDS

NEW YORK, July 10.—(Special.)—In a special car that will leave the Grand Central station tomorrow there will be 40 young men from the universities, including Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Cornell, Columbia and Lafayette, who are going into the west to aid the farmers in garnering the great crop of corn.

POPE'S HOUR NOT YET COME

His Holiness Becomes Restless After Taking a Long Sleep.

RESTED MANY HOURS

Withstood Another Operation During Day and Was Given Great Relief.

CONDITION IS STATIONARY

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROME, July 11, 6:40 a. m.—The usual gathering of watchers, mostly journalists, witnessed from the piazza of St. Peter's the opening of the windows of the papal apartment this morning by the pope's faithful valet Centra. No significant change has taken place in the condition of the patient up to the present hour. Dr. Lapponi succeeded in having Pope Leo take a sufficient quantity of nourishment during the night.

4:50 a. m.—Since awakening the pontiff has been restless and a dose of chloral was administered.

2:10 a. m.—The pope has just awakened refreshed from his sleep, which lasted over two hours.

12:10 a. m.—The condition of the pope is unchanged. He is now asleep.

ROME, July 10, 9 p. m.—The following bulletin has just been issued:

of rest, without suffering. His pulse maintains its frequency and force. This morning, after the operation, his pulsation was 92, his respiration 28 and his temperature 36 centigrade. The kidneys continue functionally deficient. His general state is stationary.

"LAPPONI.
"MAZZONI."

ROME, July 11.—6 a. m.—A general feeling of tranquility marked the day in Rome yesterday, due to the widespread belief that, though the pope's days are numbered, his hour has not yet come. The sublime self-confidence of the patient permeates the people, especially the simpler folk, who go about their day's work postponing signs of sorrow and mourning until from the sickbed itself they hear that the unusual struggle is nearing its end.

The news of yesterday morning's operation sent cardinals and ambassadors driving hurriedly to the vatican. The somber black carriages and horses of the former, relieved only by glimpses of the scarlet robes worn by the pale-faced occupants, contrasted strangely with the brilliant equipage of the ambassadors.

Preparing for the End.

Outside St. Peter's the ordinary visitors hurried past the Swiss guards and ascended the staircase leading to the inner court of the vatican.

The sun beat fiercely on the plain, white shutters which shelter the pope's room, and all eyes were turned toward them. Compared with the magnificence below, with the bewildering colors of the papal court, and the rich attire of the guards, the shuttered windows are peasant-like in their simplicity. Another window caught the eye. This was open and the sun streamed in on Raphael's priceless frescoes and lit up the great marble portico.

"Within the," said a papal attendant, "the rooms are all ready for Oreglia, the cardinal deacon who will reign during the interregnum." The same grim preparation is apparent on all sides. Count Pecci, a nephew of the dying pope, wearing a straw hat and flannels, sat in the fire engine house, opposite the private entrance to the vatican, chatting with the firemen. Carriage after carriage drove into the court. The French, German and other ambassadors descended to make inquiries. Prince Massino, looking almost as venerable as the pope himself, the head of one of the most ancient families in Rome, all the countless bishops and priests came to await the bulletin.

Volpini Almost Forgotten.

The extraordinary confusion prevailing at the vatican outside the immediate vicinity of the pope's sick room is demonstrated by the remarkable neglect to make even the most ordinary preparations for the interment of Mgr. Volpini, the secretary of the consistory and canon of St. Peters, who died suddenly yesterday of syncope. Usually, the funeral of so high an ecclesiast would have been a prominent event in Rome, but today it was completely forgotten in the shadow of the greater impending loss to the church.

The body of Mgr. Volpini seems to have been permitted to remain almost in the condition in which he died. The remains were not laid out in the customary manner. Only two lighted candles were provided and they were permitted to burn to the sockets and had almost expired when a noble Roman lady came this morning to view the body. She raised an indignant outcry at such a condition of affairs.

Hasty arrangements were then made for the interment. At 5 o'clock the coffin was brought down from Mgr. Volpini's room, situated immediately above the pope's apartments, and placed in a communal hearse of the fourth class, drawn by two horses, such as is usually employed for small tradesmen and com-

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Cardinal Gibbons on His Way to Rome.

Cardinal Gibbons and his attendants on the ferryboat as the venerable prelate arrived in New York, en route to Rome, to assist in the election of a successor to Pope Leo XIII. Cardinal Gibbons is in the center. On his right, bareheaded, is Father Gavin, chancellor of the Baltimore diocese, and behind him is his secretary, Father Fletche.

BABE SLAIN BY UNKNOWN MURDERER

Mutilated Body of Two-Year-Old Girl Found After Long Search.

HOUNDS ON TRAIL

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Bloomington, Ill., July 10.—Bloomington was horrified today by the most brutal crime in its history, a two-year-old girl baby being stolen while sleeping and horribly butchered. The body was found late this afternoon, almost torn limb from limb, with the head almost wrung from its body, hidden under bushes in a pasture a mile from the scene of abduction.

The little one was the daughter of Andrew Jordan, a hay dealer, and was the youngest of seven children. Last evening the parents attended the summer theater and left the child at home in charge of older sisters. They spent the early part of the evening with neighbors, but when the babe grew sleepy they brought it home and laid it upon its crib, returning to the neighbors'. When they returned home an hour later the child was missing.

All last night and a part of today was devoted to a search, but no one suspected murder until the body was found. Buggy tracks were found leading to the house, but whether the assailant visited the scene in a vehicle or whether some passing tramp noticed the sleeping child and carried it away is only conjecture. Bloodhounds have been pressed into service in the hope of finding the guilty wretch.

MARINETTE, WIS., July 10.—A young negro visited Company I military carnival with a 16-year-old white girl. The employes of the carnival company are southerners, and a burly fellow in charge of a booth made an insulting remark to the negro, who replied in kind. The southerner seized a hammer and swung it at the negro's head. The negro's life was saved by a bystander who struck the showman, causing the hammer to miss the mark.

The cry of "Hey, Rube," was given and a crowd got after the negro. He was hurled over a fence to safety by members of Company I just as a howling mob, armed with hammers, gathered. If the negro and the man who hit the showman had reappeared they would have been killed.

ENRAGED MOB SKINS NEGRO WHILE ALIVE

He Kidnaped White Girl and Kept Her Prisoner in the Woods.

EXPIRED IN AGONY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Bluefield, W. Va., July 10.—An unknown negro was captured by a mob at Devon, near here, last night and skinned alive. He died in terrible agony after the mob had satisfied its thirst for vengeance.

On Monday the negro kidnaped a young woman of that place and carried her off to the woods. He tied her to a tree and kept her prisoner until Thursday. Each day he brought her food, which he compelled her to eat by threats of death.

Tuesday a systematic search was instituted for a missing girl. Yesterday the searchers scoured the woods, fearing that she had been murdered and they came upon her as she was about to die from exhaustion.

After being revived she told her story to the searching party. Before long the negro made his appearance.

They were so enraged by his crime that they skinned him alive and inflicted upon him every conceivable torture. For over two hours the wretch endured the agony and then expired from his injuries.

KING EDWARD DESIRES AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
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LONDON, July 10.—The greatest prominence is given by all the morning papers to the brief speech made by King Edward at the review of the Honorable Artillery company which he held on the horse guards parade yesterday afternoon, and at which Admiral Cotton and other American officers were present. The king said, in part:

"About 200 of you are to go to America on the occasion of the celebration of the anniversary of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Massachusetts, a corps which was an offshoot of your own in the middle of the seventeenth century. You are sure to be received in the most cordial fashion by the American corps, for I know they appreciate all that was done for them when they were here, some years ago. I am glad to think your visit will help to cement the friendship that exists between Great Britain and America, as that is a matter to which I attach the greatest importance and one, which I shall always be glad to know of."

HEAT BLANKET COVERS NATION

Thirty-Six Are Dead and Many Prostrated in New York.

SUFFERING INTENSE

Thousands from Tenements Spent Last Night on Grass in Central Park.

OTHER CITIES ALSO SUFFER

HOT WAVE EXTENDS ACROSS THE CONTINENT

The excessive heat is general throughout the east, central west and southwest, the following table showing temperatures that equal the hot wave of July, 1901:

Albany	88	Omaha	92
Boston	94	St. Louis	96
New York	94	Kansas City	96
Philadelphia	96	Dodge City	98
Washington	96	El Paso	100
Cincinnati	98	Chicago	76
Indianapolis	92		

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, July 10.

The intense heat continued today, and although there was a slight cool breeze much of the time, the list of victims reached 36. Beside there were 83 prostrations.

In order to alleviate the suffering in the tenement district as much as possible tonight, the city parks were converted into bedrooms, and thousands of people slept on the cool grass. There were sleepers in every park, though the greatest number were in Central park, where every bit of green space seemed to be covered with sleepers, some even laid on the gravel walks.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals today opened a hospital for the treatment of horses overcome by the heat. There are scores of cases, the majority of which would prove fatal were it not for the action of the Humane society. Two free bath houses for horses have been opened and all horses taken there will be given cold shower baths free.

The heat caused considerable damage by water in the wholesale drug house of McKesson & Robbins this morning. The automatic fire sprinkling apparatus was put in operation by the heat, and before it could be shut off, the water did almost as much damage as would a fire, which the apparatus was aimed to prevent. The thermometer in Herald square registered 105 from 11 to 2 o'clock this afternoon, one degree higher than yesterday.

Daniel Lewis, a heat-crazed negro, attacked with a club two girls who were carrying a large piece of ice. A mob quickly gathered and shouted: "Lynch him!" Lewis was rescued by detectives and sent to a hospital.

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.—The high temperature which has prevailed here during the past week continues, and there is no cooler weather in sight. Philadelphia was one of the hottest cities in the country, today, the thermometer registering 96 degrees at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

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Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and a Friend.

Teddy Roosevelt, Jr., had a narrow escape the other night. He had been visiting friends and, returning home after midnight, attempted to go into the house at Sagamore Hill, when being discovered he was halted by a secret service man who gave the president's son a lecture and told him he was lucky that he hadn't been shot. Teddy took the lecture in good state.

ROOSEVELT ENJOYS RURAL HOSPITALITY OF JOHN BURROUGHS

"Slabsides," the Humble Cabin of the Naturalist, Honored by Presence of the President and the First Lady of the Land.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 10.—President Roosevelt touched the extreme opposite of his Yellowstone park outing at West Park, Ulster county, today, where he spent several hours in the quiet of "Slabsides," the mountain home of John Burroughs, the naturalist.

Mr. Burroughs told the president while on snowshoes in Wyoming of the rustic beauty and quiet of Slabsides, and of the dinners cooked on hot stones. The result was the visit of today and President Roosevelt showed his memory by asking at once, "How about that dinner? Let's have it now." The dinner consisted of broiled chicken, with potatoes cooked in ashes in the wide fireplace, apple pie with berries from Mr. Burroughs' garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt were unattended, not even a secretary accompanying them. They were met by John Burroughs and his son, Julian, and the party walked to the little West Shore railway station. The president seemed delighted at being so utterly alone. While standing on the station platform, Garry Mehan, track foreman on the West Shore at that place, left his gang of laborers and walking up to the president stretched out his toil-stained hand and said: "Faith I knew you the minute I saw you."

"I am right glad to see you," said the president as he grasped the hand and shook it heartily.

"Slabsides" is two miles from the river and is reached by a stony stretch of mountain road. After dinner at Slabsides, the party walked to Riverby, the residence of Mr. Burroughs nearer the river. At dinner the president chatted on exceedingly live topics. When asked if Wall street felt badly over his action in the merger case, he answered:

"Yes, some people may feel a trifle sore about it, but I guess it will be all right."

When Mr. Burroughs was asked if the president confined himself to the subject of nature all day, he replied: "No, he talked of all sorts of things. Of the postoffice scandal he said, 'I mean to go to the bottom of the thing, and no guilty man shall escape.'"

The Sylph sailed away from West Park at 2:15 p. m.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., July 10.—(Special.)—President and Mrs. Roosevelt, aboard the Sylph, arrived in Oyster Bay at midnight, after an enjoyable trip to the home of John Burroughs. They went ashore in the ship's launch and were driven to Sagamore Hill, where they arrived at 12:30.

The following cablegram from King Edward of England was received by the president today:

London, July 9.

The President, Oyster Bay, N. Y.

I have great pleasure in entertaining Admiral Cotton and the captains of his squadron and have just proposed your health with every feeling of cordiality and friendship. EDWARD R.

SAW THREE CENTURIES.

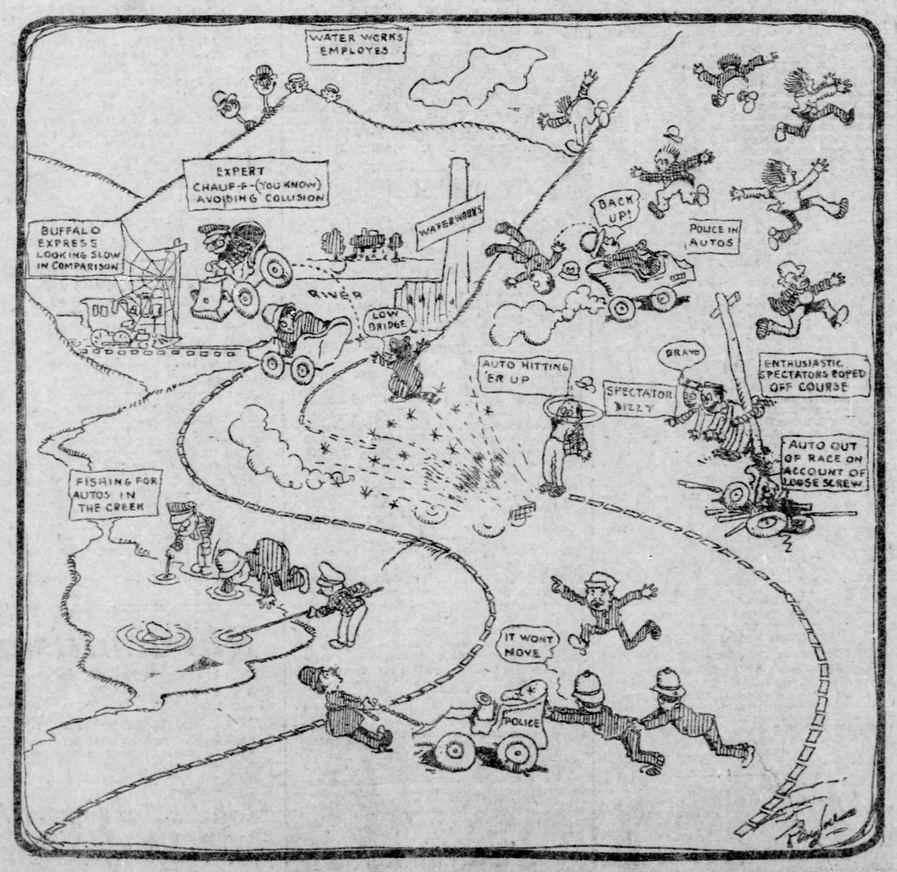
Woman Dies in Cincinnati at Age of 104—Remembered Napoleon's Downfall.

CINCINNATI, July 10.—(Special.)—Having lived through the entire nineteenth century and part of the eighteenth and twentieth, Mrs. Amelia Thomson, probably the oldest woman in the west, died early this morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. M. W. Taylor, at the age of 104 years.

Mrs. Thomson was born in Tennessee in the year 1799. Her maiden name was Lewis and her mother was a member of the famous Harriman family of Tennessee. The city of Harriman in that state is named after the noted pioneers. She remembered well the account of the battle of Waterloo in the newspapers and told in after years of the great impression the downfall of Napoleon made in this country. She had six children, three now living; 12 grandchildren living; 12 great grandchildren living. Oldest great grandchild is aged 30.

PITTSBURGHER KILLED IN CLEVELAND ACCIDENT

CLEVELAND, July 10.—(Special.)—A trolley car crashed into a sand wagon in which A. Wendorff, a contractor of this city and Joseph H. Lustig and Abraham Goutz of Pittsburgh, were returning from the city. The wagon was demolished and the occupants were hurled out. Lustig was instantly killed. Wendorff and Goutz were painfully injured. Lustig and Goutz were members of a camping party from Pittsburgh, who came Wednesday for a camp across from Manhattan beach. Both men were glass blowers.



The Auto Races This Afternoon Are Expected To Be Exciting.

MASK DROPPED STILL FURTHER

Filtration Committee Recommends New Commission to Adopt System.

NO VOTE TO BE TAKEN

Question of More Bonds to Be Delayed Until Alum Water Advocates Win.

SHAW MAKES VAIN PROTEST

The alum-water advocates of councils dropped the mask yesterday and took a step further in the scheme to defeat sand filtration and to secure the adoption of the mechanical system, the joint filtration committee adopting the report of Chairman Thomas M. Brown's sub-committee and also incorporating in it a clause which provides for the appointment of a new commission to investigate other systems of filtration. This motion was made by Gebhardt Sahner of the Twenty-seventh ward, one of the members of the sub-committee.

Mr. Sahner's commission is to be composed of three members of common council and two members of the select branch. It is created to re-open the whole subject of filtration. While the motion did not specifically mention mechanical or alum-water filtration, it was accepted as referring particularly to that system. This commission is to be appointed before even the question of a bond issue to build a complete sand filtration plant is taken up.

It discloses the real purpose of the alum-water advocates and shows that while a pretense is being made to let the finance committee settle the question of filtration the new commission is to play the more important part. This commission is to be composed of members pledged to the mechanical system. It is alleged that the program of the alum-water advocates is to prevent even a vote being taken on another bond issue for sand filtration until the new commission has handed in its report in favor of the mechanical method.

Committee Recommends Delay.

The report of the sub-committee, adopted yesterday by the general committee, recommended that the ordinance for the additional bond issue of $1,219,000 be returned to councils with the recommendation that it be referred to the finance committee for action; that the remaining seven ordinances for letting of con-

McKeesport Sets a Filtration Example

McKeesport is wasting no time in its action for the filtration plant proposed for that city. That favorable action on the proposition to issue $150,000 worth of bonds was taken last evening by the finance committee of councils of that city. The plant is to have a capacity of 5,000,000 gallons daily and is arranged that that maximum can be doubled when needed with comparatively little expense.

tracts for the construction of sand filters be returned to councils with a recommendation that further action thereon be suspended until the additional bond issue is submitted to the people or if not approved by the finance committee or submitted to the people, until a proper committee or commission shall be created and appointed by councils to investigate and report on some other system in relation to filtration; that the director of public works be directed to furnish and transmit to councils a complete estimate of the total cost of a sand filtration plant of sufficient capacity to supply the entire city, together with the cost of covers.

The motion as made originally by Mr. Sahner is as follows:

"That we recommend a joint committee of five members of councils, three from common and two from select, to investigate the possibility of securing filtered water by some other process than sand filtration in order that the cost be brought within the limitations of the bond issue and to supply the entire city with filtered water, including the section known as the South Side."

Sand Filtration a Success.

James P. Shaw of the Sixth ward objected to the exclusion of sand filtration from the investigation by Mr. Sahner's proposed commission. He did not consider it advisable to cast aside sand filtration at this late date and experiment with mechanical filters.

Dr. Shaw said he has investigated filtration in other cities, and had inspected a sand filtering plant in Albany, N. Y., which he said worked finely and was pronounced to be a success in every respect. The Albany plant cost $500,000 and filtered 15,000,000 gallons daily. He said it had been proved that sand filtration was far superior to any other method when water was to be purified in large quantities.

"This filtration committee has been very dilatory in this matter and should have taken action long ago," said Shaw. "The people voted for sand filtration, although it may be that the sand filtration was not specifically mentioned. It is mighty dangerous at this late day to throw away everything spent in sand filtration and to take up some new idea."

Mr. Sahner said that the object of his motion was to have a commission get to work and adopt a system that could be procured for the money now on hand and to have a report ready to bring into councils if the finance committee does not approve another bond issue for sand filtration. Mr. Sahner said that the plans already prepared provide only for a

plant with a daily capacity of 50,000,000 gallons.

Mr. Shaw replied that the installation of water meters, as provided in the plans, would cut down the consumption of water 50 per cent according to the estimates of Supt. A. B. Shepherd of the water bureau, and that this saving would be sufficient to accommodate the whole city. He said, even if the plant was not large enough to supply the whole city, a start should be made with the money the city now has and additions can be made to the plant as the necessity arises.

Sahner Predicts Long Delay.

Mr. Sahner insisted that the South Side would have to be provided for before any filtration plant would be built. "The contract with the Monongahela Water Company, which supplies the South Side," he said, "does not expire until December, 1906, and a filtration plant could not be built before that time. In the meantime we can get ready," he said.

Mr. Sahner finally consented to amend his motion by striking out the words which excluded sand filtration, but the sense of the motion, as amended, is practically the same as before, as an additional bond issue will be required to build sand filters, while the motion provides that a system shall be selected, the cost of which will not exceed the money now on hand.

The members present yesterday were: Thomas M. Brown, John J. Hughes, James W. Jack, John Lauler, M. E. O'Brien, James W. Platt, Gebhardt Sahner, Charles C. Schad, George C. Wilson, W. J. Zahniser and J. P. Shaw.

Chairman Brown spoke in defense of the report of the sub-committee. The report of the sub-committee, of which Chairman Brown is the author, will be presented to common council. It is doubtful when this report will be presented as the special session of common council next Monday night is to consider only the Duquesne way railroad ordinance and the filtration report may not be heard of again this summer.

A local agent of a mechanical filter company, connected also closely with the city administration, was present at the meeting yesterday afternoon and interviewed a number of the members of the committee.

TEACHERS ADJOURN.

Closing Session of National Educational Association Held Yesterday.

BOSTON, MASS., July 10.—The convention of the National Educational association was brought to a close today. The national council met to clear up a few remaining matters of business and 10 of the 16 departments held sessions.

"The Teaching of Art," and "Considerations for a Practical Study of Drawing in Public Schools," were the subjects brought up in the art department. The business education department held a round table conference on "A Commercial Course for American High Schools," and the physical training department gave its time to subjects of exclusive interest to that branch. "Chemistry and Physics" were the topics in the science instruction department and the library department devoted its time to papers on the relations between libraries and schools.

The Indian department today closed the meeting with an industrial and miscellaneous round table. Among the speakers was Hamlin Garland of New York.

AGREEMENT REACHED.

Flint Workers and Manufacturers to Confer on the Various Wage Scales.

CINCINNATI, July 10.—The Flint Glass Workers' national convention today came to an agreement with the Glass Manufacturers' association to have their joint conference committees meet at Star Island on July 20, the object being to consider wage scales for several branches and also to take some action in regard to the tariff changes on glassware which, it is understood, may be proposed in the next congress.

On this point the idea is to unite the forces of the manufacturers and workers in resisting changes which might have a detrimental effect on the glass industries of the country. President Rowe and Secretary Dobbins will go with the workers' conference committee.

VISITED THE NAVY YARD.

Sub-Committee of the Naval Committee Reached Philadelphia Yesterday.

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.—The United States steamship Dolphin, having on board the sub-committee of the naval committee of congress, arrived at the League Island navy yard today. An inspection of the yard was made during the afternoon. The committee will remain at the League Island over night and tomorrow will visit Cramp's shipyard. They will also be tendered a reception by Capt. Sigsbee, commandant of the navy yard.

The members of the committee are Representatives Foss of Illinois, Dayton of West Virginia, Loudenslager and Mudd of Maryland and Rixey of Virginia.

...ER TINNERS ARE BETWEEN TWO FIRES

... master tinners and slate and tile ...ofers will have to withdraw from the ...uilders' league or secure men to take the ...laces of those affected by the present ...cale, as the men are determined to strike if the manufacturers violate the agreement. The latter signed a scale that ends the last of May, but the Builders' league has notified all members that scales must end December 30 of each year. Local No. 12, Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers' National Alliance of America, at a meeting last night in Moorhead hall refused to change the time for ending the wage agreement.

BELLEVUE CLERGYMAN CALLED TO COLUMBUS

COLUMBUS, O., July 10.—(Special.)—The trustees of Franklin Avenue Church of Christ at a meeting tonight agreed upon the Rev. J. H. Craig of Bellevue, Pa., as successor to the Rev. C. A. Freer, who recently resigned his charge here to accept a call to Collingwood, a suburb of Cleveland. The church society will vote upon the question of calling Mr. Craig next Sunday.

Looking for a School Teacher.

The Edgewood school board is in search of a good young man for teacher in the high school, all of the other teachers having been elected. W. E. Borger, formerly of the Sewickley schools, is principal of the Edgewood schools.

Neck Broken by Fall.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., July 10.—(Special.)—Levi H. Wells, aged 73, fell from the top of a wagon load of hay at his home near Elizabeth this afternoon and was found by the roadside dead, with his neck broken.

Honor to Mitchell.

PITTSBURG, KAN., July 10.—Twenty-thousand persons participated in today's labor demonstration in honor of President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers. Fifty thousand coal miners, with 15 bands, paraded. Mr. Mitchell responded to an address of welcome by Mayor Price.

Another Lockjaw Victim.

Joseph Sapello, 10 years old, of No. 527 Sixth avenue, was taken to the Passavant hospital last night suffering with lockjaw. The boy was wounded while playing with a toy pistol on the Fourth. He is not expected to recover.

Excursion to Wheeling Tomorrow, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves Pittsburg, Smithfield and Water street station, 8:40 a. m. Fare $1.50 round trip.

Excursion to Cumberland Tomorrow, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves Smithfield and Water street station, Pittsburgh, at 7 a. m. $2 for round trip.

COOLING RAIN PROMISED TODAY

Four Persons Expired of Heat and Four Were Prostrated Yesterday.

MILL WORKMEN SUFFERED

During the Storm a Number of Places in Allegheny Were Struck, Including the Carnegie Library—High Temperature Has Western City in Its Grasp.

More rain to cool the overheated atmosphere is promised for Pittsburgh and vicinity today. The heavy downpour of rain yesterday morning helped to lay the dust and also keep the temperature several degrees below the maximum temperature registered in this city on Thursday. Although the heat was not felt so much yesterday as on the previous day, yet four persons succumbed and four were prostrated by the heat.

The dead:

The Dead.

WILLIAM DAVIS, 59 years old, a brakeman, was found dead from heat exhaustion at his home in Guthrie street, McKees Rocks, during the morning.

GEORGE VALTZ, 5-months-old child of Frederick Valtz, died at his home, No. 2202 Sarah street, South Side, of heat exhaustion.

LESLIE BAILEY, aged 19, was drowned at the foot of Ferry street, Sewickley, during the afternoon.

MRS. MARY BERMONT, aged 53, of Garseye Ferry, near Freeport, Pa., died yesterday at the West Penn hospital of heart exhaustion. She had been operated on a few days ago, but the heat exhausted her.

The Prostrated.

EDWARD GALLAGHER, 77 years old, was overcome at his home, No. 2523 Carson street, South Side, and removed to Mercy hospital. His condition is said to be serious.

JOHN KENSEL, a Slav laborer of Ninth street, Braddock, was overcome while working in the American Steel and Wire Company's plant and fell and fractured his skull on some steel billets. He is at Mercy hospital.

PHILIP ASHBAUGH of Church street, Turtle Creek, was prostrated while working at the Westinghouse plant in East Pittsburgh yesterday. He was taken to his home.

AN UNKNOWN MAN was found unconscious from heat in Magnolia street, Allegheny, yesterday morning and removed to the Allegheny General hospital.

Leslie Bailey was employed in the grocery store of E. J. Conn and during the afternoon secured leave of absence. With four of his younger brothers he went to the Ohio river bank to wade in the water. He was unable to swim and while wading about in the water stepped into a deep hole. His brothers stood by but were unable to render him any assistance and they saw him go to his death. His body was recovered.

During the storm yesterday there were some fierce flashes of lightning and a number of places were struck. The lightning conducter on top of Carnegie hall, Allegheny, was shattered, but no other damage was done the building. The flagstaff on top of the four-story building at No. 613 West Diamond street, Allegheny, was also shattered by the lightning. At stall No. 92 in the Allegheny market, occupied by Jacob Muzzle, a poultry dealer, lightning smashed an electric fan, and Miss Lillie Muzzle, who was near the fan, was severely shocked.

During the early morning the heat was almost unbearable and but few persons were able to sleep. At 3 a. m. the mercury was at 80 and by 5 a. m. had gone down only to 75, which was the minimum for the day. After this hour the mercury went up the tube rapidly till 10 o'clock in the morning, when the rainstorm suddenly broke. In the following hour the mercury dropped about 10 degrees. At noon it began to go up and by 1 p. m. it was at the 80-degree mark. The temperatures registered at the local weather office from Thursday midnight to 8 o'clock last night follow:

Midnight	80	11 a. m.	76
1 a. m.	80	Noon	75
2 a. m.	78	1 p. m.	80
3 a. m.	77	2 p. m.	82
4 a. m.	76	3 p. m.	85
5 a. m.	76	4 p. m.	88
6 a. m.	77	5 p. m.	88
7 a. m.	78	6 p. m.	86
8 a. m.	80	7 p. m.	84
9 a. m.	83	8 p. m.	77
10 a. m.	86		

In the cities west of Pittsburgh the temperature was higher yesterday than on Thursday and in the far west and southwest the mercury went up to 96 degrees in many place and to 100 in El Paso, Tex., which was the hottest place in the United States yesterday, according to the reports received at the local weather office last night. Kansas City, St. Louis, Louisville, Philadelphia, Washington, D. C., and Cincinnati each had a maximum temperature of 94 degrees yesterday.

The forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity is for showers today and fair conditions tomorrow. The rainfall yesterday amounted to .44 of an inch .28 of an inch in excess of the normal for the day. On July 10 last year there was a sudden fall in the temperature and the conditions which brought this about were somewhat similar to those of yesterday.

OEFICERS ELECTED.

Baptist Young Peoples Union Selected Executive Leaders for Ensuing Year.

ATLANTA, GA., July 10.—Today's session of the convention of the International Baptist Young People's union opened with prayer meetings. Preceding the opening of the convention the Rev. Robert VanDeventer of Savannah conducted a normal lession and J. C. Massee of Raleigh, N. C., led an open parliament, in which pertinent questions relating to the motives and progress of the union were discussed.

Following the reports of various committees these officers were elected for the ensuing year. President, John H. Chapman, Chicago; first vice president, George Miller, Baltimore; second vice president, A. L. McCrimmon, Woodstock, Ont.; third vice president, W. M. Gaines, Atlanta; recording secretary, the Rev. H. W. Reed, Rock Island, Ill.; treasurer, G. B. Osgood, Chicago.

The afternoon session of the convention was devoted to conferences and the meeting of state officers and boards of managers of the various chapters of the international union.

ENGINEERS ARRESTED AND INVITED TO DINNER

LATROBE, PA., July 10.—(Special.)—Nine of the members of the corps of civil engineers, while making a survey for the Pennsylvania railroad cutoff between here and Millwood, were arrested yesterday at the direction of Henry Stripe of Bradenville, charged with trespass. A fine of $10 was imposed on each, which they refused to pay, and were held for court in the sum of $25 each. To show that he had no personal grievance against the men, Mr. Stripe invited them all to dinner this evening. Those arrested are C. L. Long, W. N. Connor, R. M. Wilson, J. R. McCormack, F. O. Rhen, J. F. Gage, R. M. Wallace, J. D. Snyder and C. D. Costello. Justice R. B. Weaver, before whom the hearing was held, was also among the guests at the dinner party.

Woman Killed by Train.

CANAL DOVER, O., July 10.—(Special.)—Mrs. Fred Welsen of Mineral City was struck by a train of coal cars and instantly killed today.

Killed Himself With Shotgun.

CORRY, PA., July 10.—(Special.)—Peter Johnson, 45 years old and married, committed suicide at Bear Lakes last night with a shotgun.

Lightning Kills Twelve Mules.

WILKESBARRE, July 10.—A large barn occupied as a stable for horses and mules belonging to the Delaware & Hudson Coal Company at Moosic, was struck by lightning this afternoon and destroyed. Nine mules were killed outright and three others burned to death.

BATHERS FLED FROM FLAMES

Fire at a Steamship Pier Awakened Visions of Another Holocaust.

BATH HOUSE WAS IN DANGER

Over $500,000 Damage Done Yesterday by a Conflagration at the Scandinavian Line Dock—Destroyed Twice in Three Years.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 10.—The new pier of the Scandinavian American line, at the foot of Seventeenth street, Hoboken, was destroyed by fire today and for the second time in three years the line is temporarily without a pier. It is believed the loss will amount to almost $500,000. The dock alone cost $200,000.

The fire started in the store room of the pier, and when discovered, the flames had a firm foothold. There was no ship of the line in port. On the pier was a large part of the cargo destined for Europe which was to be shipped on the Island, and this was destroyed, causing a loss of over $300,000. Comparatively few men were at work on the pier at the time.

When the first fire engines arrived fully 200 feet of the pier was blazing from the water's edge to the top. Tugs threw water into the fire, but this seemed to have little effect. The city firemen were badly hampered in reaching the place. The flames spread as rapidly as when the North German-Lloyd and Scandinavian piers burned three years ago.

There were three explosions, apparently caused by barrels of some inflammable material. After each the flames spread very rapidly. The heat was intense, and many firemen dropped into the river for relief.

The slight wind carried the flames toward the Tietjen and Lang dry docks, containing a score of vessels. Those which could be gotten out were towed away. A nearby bathhouse was crowded with women and children, who fled without waiting to dress. Two children were slightly hurt in the crush.

West of the bulkhead were moored the United States training ship Portsmouth and the Ward liner, Manhattan. These were in peril for a time, but the wind shifted, carrying the flames out over the river. The naval reserves on the Portsmouth did good work in keeping the fire from the bulkheading. Within three quarters of an hour after the fire started it was under control. None of the workmen on the pier was injured.

HEAT BLANKET COVERS NATION

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In the meantime the temperature was 86 degrees, the highest in two years. Several deaths, due to the heat, and a large number of prostrations are reported.

BALTIMORE, July 10.—The heat was very oppressive here today, the thermometer reaching 96 degrees at 2 o'clock, one degree higher than yesterday. An unknown white man died in the street from the heat, and there were other prostrations.

BOSTON, July 10.—Sweltering heat conditions prevailed here today. At noon 92 degrees was the record.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., July 10.—The thermometers in the shade today registered 102 degrees at 12:30 o'clock, the highest record since July, 1901.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., July 10.—The big factories of the Winchester Repeating Arms Company and Sargent & Co., employing 6,000 hands, were obliged to close at noon because of the excessive heat. At noon the temperature reached 94 degrees.

DETROIT, July 10.—Detroit has experienced another day of intense heat. The mercury has hovered near the 90 mark for the past 24 hours and humanity in the downtown districts has suffered severely. No deaths or serious prostrations have taken place. The river steamers and street cars were crowded during the afternoon and evening by people seeking relief from the heat.

LOUISVILLE, KY., July 10.—This was the warmest day of the season, the government thermometer registering 97. There were several prostrations.

ST. LOUIS, July 10.—The extremely hot weather was somewhat tempered today by a shower. The highest temperature was 96. Four prostrations were reported.

COKE DELIVERY HAMPERED.

Washouts on the Railroads Delay Shipments from Connellsville Region.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., July 10.—(Special.)—The washouts on the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio railroads will hamper coke shipments. The first of the week it was estimated that shipments out of the region would be 1,000 cars short of the normal figure. It was not only impossible to get cars out of the region the first two days of the week over the Southwest Pennsylvania, but it was also impossible to get empty cars into the region. Some of the big coke companies were from 200 to 300 cars short of their allotment on Monday and Tuesday.

The detailed report of the operation and output of the week ending on Saturday July 4, shows a total of 22,222 ovens of which 21,333 were active and 889 were idle. The estimated tonnage was 233,928 tons, compared with 247,801 tons the week before. The loss last week was due to the fact that all the plants in the region laid off on the Fourth of July. This cut tonnage down. The H. C. Frick Coke Company report some changes in their active and idle blasts. The Alverton No. 2 plant is in operation again after a several weeks' shutdown. Leisenring No. 3 has only 29 ovens out of 40. Sixty ovens were blowed in at Mammoth, that works being in full blast now. At Redstone there are 400 ovens producing coke instead of 276 reported the previous week. Mutual No. 4 has all its 120 ovens in blast except five.

Shipments last week were 11,100 cars, distributed as follows: To Pittsburgh and river tipples, 4,480 cars; points west of Pittsburgh, 3,122 cars; points east of Connellsville, 490 cars. Compared with the shipments of the previous week this was a loss of 462 cars.

In the Lower Connellsville region there are 4,635 ovens of which 4,534 are active and 210 are idle. Compared with the report of the week of June 27, this shows a gain in 200 ovens. At the Washington No. 2 plant of the Washington Coal & Coke Company 105 ovens were put in blast. They have been in course of construction. The Bessie No. 2 plant of the Bessemer Coke Company is added to the list this week. It has 135 ovens of which 50 are in blast and the balance are not yet in shape to be fired. They will go into blast within a week or two. The estimated tonnage in the Lower Connellsville region last week was 48,070 tons, compared with 55,390 the week before. Shipments last week were 2,100 cars.

Some new ovens are scheduled to go into blast in the lower districts within the next month, and they will swell the total production there to about 60,000 a week. It will not be long until the total number of ovens in the south end of the county will reach 5,000. A well known operator estimates that within five years there will be between 10,000 and 15,000 ovens in the district between Fairchance and the Monongahela river in Fayette county.

Laborer's Instep Broken.

Patrick Folene, 23 years old, employed on the excavation at Diamond street and Cherry alley, had his right instep fractured early this morning while working about the hoisting engine. While Folene was arranging the rope on the drum another laborer accidentally started the engine and Folene's foot was caught in the machinery. He was removed to the Homeopathic hospital.

City Convenience.

Our readers in the country who are deprived of banking facilities can secure all these conveniences by using the Banking by Mail system of the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings of this city. Write for booklet No. 26, telling all about this simple, safe and satisfactory method of banking.

POPE'S HOUR NOT YET COME

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paratively poor persons. A few choir boys, monks and priests headed the procession to the Church of Santa Maria, where the final rites were celebrated. There was an entire absence of ecclesiastical dignitaries and prominent members of the laity, who in ordinary circumstances would attend the ceremony.

PONTIFF GETS RELIEF FROM SECOND OPERATION

Wonderful Vitality of His Holiness Is the Marvel of His Physicians.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ROME, July 10.—The pope rose at six o'clock this morning. He said he thought the air of his room was somewhat vitiated and wanted it changed. An attendant, after having been authorized to do so by Dr. Lapponi, opened the windows of the whole apartment, including that of the sick room, the pontiff having previously been carefully covered with extra blankets.

The pope prayed for half an hour and then had breakfast, partaking of the yolk of an egg beaten up with sugar, in hot coffee and a light biscuit. He then received his private secretary, Mgr. Angeli, who was again surprised at the pope's brightness of mind and display of energy. On leaving the sick room Mgr. Angeli remarked to those who surrounded him that if it was not known that the pope was dangerously ill, from his operation etao dangerously ill, from his appearance at that time one would say he was in his normal condition. The monsignor added that the pontiff referred to several different matters, recalling exactly the most minute details and remembering facts, figures and dates with marvelous promptness, and all this to the accompaniment of snuff taking. The same impressions were formed by Count Camilo Pecci, who visited the pope after Mgr. Angeli.

The doctors' visit and an operation followed. Dr. Mazzoni's operation this morning was almost identical with that of Tuesday afternoon.

After the operation the pope felt so relieved that he insisted on getting up and took several steps toward his armchair and seated himself for a few minutes. He then rose, and, going to the book shelves, took down his favorite authors, took down Horace's Ars Poetica, returned to the armchair and began reading. Later in the day the pope had lunch and then took a long rest.

Dr. Mazzoni had an examination made by a miscrocopist of the serum taken from the pope's pleura on last Tuesday, to ascertain whether it contained specific microbe. Some doubt has arisen as to whether the original attack of pneumonia had been provoked by some specific agency such as, for instance, tuberculosis or cancer. The examination showed no such microbe and the conclusion was inevitable that the pneumonia was due as originally stated to a mechanic circulation, proceeding from lack of heart strength.

Prof. Rossoni graphically described the pope's condition and surroundings to the Associated Press correspondent. "It might have been expected," he said, "that I would find a weary old man, with exhausted body and spirit, and ready to enter eternity, but, on the contrary, when I approached the bedside I immediately saw that I had been mistaken. In spite of all I had heard concerning his marvelous vitality, I was amazed to find a man of such great age, after so dangerous an illness, exhibiting such versatility of mind and the power of mental concentration. As I approached the bed he pressed my hand with a slight effort and looked at me intently with his bright, black, expressive eyes. He wore a calm, dignified smile and began asking me a number of questions.

"It seemed almost incomprehensible that this man was on the verge of death. Every power of will and intellect remained intact. Imagine an invalid, 94 years of age, anxious to make the acquaintance of his new consulting doctor, asking suggestive questions and testing his opinion of clinical science. That any dying man should be able to make such a prompt, decided effort of the will certainly is astonishing.

"The pope asked me if I had read certain essays upon medical pathology, written by a student who took his degree in 1824. 'I was very young then,' said the pope smiling, 'but I remember many circumstances of that happy period of my life.'

"After hearing his question testing my studies and scientific ability, I assure you I was almost ready to believe that some miracle was being wrought concerning the pope's condition."

EMMANUEL POSTPONES HIS VISIT TO PARIS

King of Italy Changes His Plans in Deference to Dying Pope.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

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ROME, July 10.—As a result of yesterday's cabinet council, and negotiations between the French and Italian governments it was officially announced today that Victor Emmanuel's visit to Paris has been postponed until September.

The postponement was decided upon after Signor Zanardelli had an interview with Prof. Rossoni and Mazzoni, who informed him that in any case his holiness cannot survive beyond 10 days, that is, he would be dead before the king's return from his projected visit to France.

The Italian government follows the fluctuations of Pope Leo's condition with deep interest. Premier Zanardelli is kept constantly advised of every varying stage in the sickness. Immediately after yesterday's consultation Dr. Rossoni called on the premier and made a statement to him regarding the condition of the pope. He again visited the premier after this morning's conference. In response to questions put to him, M. Zanardelli has expressed his personal solicitude for the pontiff, and he added:

"My duty is solely to assure, in the interest not only of Italy, but of all Europe, the most absolute liberty to the approaching conclave, and the fullest assurance may be entertained that this liberty will be given."

SAW POPE IN MAY.

Father Mayer Says Nothing But Miracle Will Lead to His Recovery.

The Rev. Father Pius Mayer, the superior general of the Order of Carmelites, came to Pittsburgh on Thursday and is now stopping with the Rev. Father Ambrose F. Bruder, provincial of the order in the United States, at the rectory of Holy Trinity church, Center avenue. Father Mayer left Rome May 14. In that city and in the other parts of Europe Father Mayer is popularly known as "The Brown Pope," on account of being the head of one of the largest and most powerful religious orders of the Roman Catholic church with jurisdiction world-wide and second only to that of Pope Leo. His garments are brown.

Father Mayer stated yesterday that nothing but a miracle would lead to the pope's recovery from his present illness. Last May Father Mayer saw the pope. Then, he said, the pope looked almost like a bloodless being, so white and transparent was his skin. When sitting he was erect, but when he left his chair he stooped and showed the physical weakness of a nonagenarian.

"But his mind was always clear," said Father Mayer, "and at no time was the slightest cloud on it. His eyes were keen and piercing and showed his strong, active intellect. I have no information as to his physical condition since I left Rome, except what I get through the newspapers, but from them I know that nothing but a miracle will bring about his recovery."

JEANNETTE IS TO BE THOROUGHLY CLEANSED

Authorities Decide to Employ One Hundred Men in Clearing Away Debris.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

GREENSBURG, PA., July 10.—The work of clearing away the debris in the Brush Creek valley between Oakford park and Jeannette, was begun this morning. Last night the county commissioners conferred with the Jeannette relief committee and it was decided to put on a force of 100 men. The commissioners agreed to pay 30 of the men $2 a day. The expense of employing the remainder is met by the Greensburg Foundry & Machine Company, the Park Amusement Company, which operated the school of mines at the park, and the Faraday Carbon Company. D. B. Evans of the Western Land & Improvement Company has charge of the men.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has agreed to send 50 men from Altoona to Jeannette tomorrow and it is expected to finish the work of removing the debris by night. C. A. Simms of Philadelphia has been given the contract by the railroad company to remove the debris that lodged in the culvert just west of the Jeannette passenger station. This portion of the wreckage has not been explored and it is thought the remaining dead will be found there.

Penn is practically free from debris after three days of hard work on the part of a big force of men, but it will be weeks before the town can be restored to its condition before the flood.

It was learned here tonight that a number of bogus fire insurance agents visited the storm-swept section about Greensburg this afternoon and in a number of instances secured payments for alleged amounts due. At every home visited it chanced that the husbands were at work and their wives, fearful of being visited by another disaster, paid the money asked. Small sums were obtained in each instance, but the total will aggregate over $50.

FOUR TRAINMEN HURT.

Pittsburgh Engineer Among the Injured in a Wreck at Akron, O.

AKRON, O., July 10.—(Special.)—A Baltimore & Ohio freight train crashed into a cut of cars being switched in the yards here tonight. These were injured:

JOHN CANNON, Pittsburgh, engineer; left ankle sprained, right kneecap broken.

ANDREW C. PORTER, fireman, Chicago Junction; back sprained.

WILLIAM KERR, engineer, Pleasantville; left arm broken, cuts and bruises.

THOMAS FORBES, conductor, Chicago Junction; scalp and facial lacerations.

All the injured will probably recover. Responsibility for the accident has not yet been placed.

CARDINAL RAMPOLLA SAYS HE WILL RETIRE

PARIS, July 11.—According to a dispatch to the Journal from Rome, the ambassadors on Friday found Cardinal Rampolla wrapped in a woolen shawl, bent and complaining of being sick. The cardinal declared that he would retire from active life at the vatican and could not attend the conclave. He said to the Spanish ambassador: "I want to go into a monastery and withdraw from the world. My human life will end with that of Pope Leo."

Cardinal Rampolla wept bitterly, but at noon had an interview with Cardinal Gotti, who succeded in consoling him.

News of the Labor World.

At a conference yesterday between a committee of the machinists and the manufacturers, on the new proposition agreed upon by the machinists at the mass meeting Thursday night, no settlement was reached, but it is thought the wage scale will be finally adjusted at a meeting to be held today. It is likely that the machinists will get the 7½ per cent increase, but not the minimum rate of 33 1-3c per hour.

MAN AND WOMAN KILLED BY FORT WAYNE TRAIN

Young Couple Met Death While Walking on Track in Beaver County.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

AMBRIDGE, PA., July 10.—Herbert Kepple, 25 years old, an employe of the American Bridge Company's works at Ambridge, and Mrs. Elizabeth Hessler, of Letart, W. Va., a widow, 26 years old, were instantly killed while walking along the tracks of the Fort Wayne railroad last night at this place. They were struck by the Pennsylvania westbound limited. Mrs. Hessler had been employed in the Ambridge hotel as a waitress.

The engineer of the limited did not know of the accident and ran on past the couple, but later on an engineer of an eastbound freight saw the bodies and stopped to investigate. The mangled remains of the young people were taken from the ditch and removed to an undertaking establishment at Freedom, Pa.

Herbert Kepple was a member of a well-known Butler county family, his father having been a farmer near Freeport, Pa., for a number of years. With Mrs. Hessler he had gone for a walk. At the point where the fast locomotive struck theme there is a curve.

DR. WOODS WANTED TO COME TO PITTSBURGH

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.—(Special.)—Police officials here have received information that Dr. John D. Woods and his wife, in whose home in San Rafael, Cal., Col. Best died, mysteriously, came to this city on Monday from Atlantic City. Woods had three trunks and wanted the baggagemaster at the railroad station to check them to Pittsburgh. As his tickets were only to Philadelphia this was refused. The trunks were re-checked here to Bethlehem, Pa. It is supposed that Woods has gone there.

THREE BURNED TO DEATH BY FURNACE EXPLOSION

PUEBLO, COL., July 10.—George E. Whiteside, a negro, and two Austrian laborers were burned to death at the steel works today, another laborer was fatally burned and a fifth man dangerously injured. The men were passing a blast furnace on their way home when the "bosh" blew out, enveloping the men in the flames, hot metal and cinders.

Murder Is Suspected.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 10.—(Special.)—A murder is believed to have been unearthed as the result of the investigation of Coroner Sipe into the death of George Potts, a Slav, who lost his life in the Hazel Kirk mine No. 1 a few days ago. Potts was working in a room of the mine when another miner, Michael Hooer, let off a charge of powder in an adjoining room. Hooer fled immediately afterward and it was brought out at the coroner's investigation that the two men were enemies.

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WORK ON G. A. R. MEMORIAL HALL IS AT STANDSTILL.

Commissioners and Old Soldiers Disagree About Method of Selecting Architect.

Work on the scheme to build a memorial G. A. R. hall in Allegheny county is at a standstill. The county commissioners and the committee of old soldiers have disagreed over the method of selecting an architect, and until their differences are settled nothing will be done.

The old soldiers want competition. They say that as many architects as desire to compete should be invited to send in plans. The commissioners object to this plan. They say that when the new buildings were erected at the county home there was competition. As a result, before the plans were submitted the commissioners say that friends of the architects were pulling political strings for their favorites. The commissioners insist that the architect should be selected without competition.

THE BRADFORD RACES.

Major Muscovete Created New Record in Free-for-All.

BRADFORD, PA., July 10.—The Lake Erie circuit races closed here today. In the free-for-all pace, Maj. Muscovite established a new record for the track by going the mile in 2:09¾. Effie Powers, the favorite, finished third. There was a large attendance and the weather and track were all that could be wished. Summaries:

2:21 pace, purse $400:

Billy F., b. g., by Baron Wilkes (Hedrick)	2	5	1	1	1
Raoul W., b. g., by Dr. Hooke (Wilson)	1	1	2	5	8
Teddy R., b. s., by Little Frank (Abrams)	3	2	3	3	2
Sussanna, b. m. (Schutz)	4	6	4	2	4
Olgus, g. s., by Graystone (Taylor)	5	4	5	4	5

Time, 2:14¾, 2:16¾, 2:20½, 2:24, 2:20¾.

2:18 trot, purse $400:

Miss Brook, b. m., by Stranger (Nickell)	1	1	1		
Madge Cobb, b. m., by Conrad (Brady)	4	2	2		
Deputine, b. g., by Red Heart (Cox)	2	4	5		
Red Wood, by Maj. Wood (Burns)	3	3	3		
Evelyn Byrd, b. m., by Happy King (Arthur)	6	2	4		
Brecklawn, b. s. (Houston)	5	0	0		

Time, 2:16¾, 2:17¾, 2:16¾.

Free-for-all pace, purse $400:

Maj. Muscovite, b. g., by Muscovite (Haywood)	1	1	1		
Alvina Wilkes, b. m., by Consaline (Hedrick)	2	2	2		
Effie Powers, b. m., by Anderson Wilkes (Gray)	3	3	3		

Time, 2:09¾, 2:11¾, 2:12.

WESTERN CRACKS BEATEN.

Larned and Whitman Played Fast Tennis.

NEW YORK, July 10.—In a fast and hotly contested tennis match Collins and Waidner, the western doubles champions, from the Kenwood Country club, Chicago, met defeat today. Larned and Whitman composed the opposing team and played a careful game, with a great amount of lobbying. To their unsuccessful attempts to kill these lobs Collins and Waidner owe their downfall. Collins sent the ball into the net repeatedly, while his partner was prone to drive beyond the lines.

Collins also engaged Larned in an exhibition at singles, at which he was beaten 6—1, 6—1. The summary:

Invitation doubles—William A. Larned and M. D. Whitman, Orange A. C., and Crescent A. C., defeated K. Collins and L. H. Waidner, Kenwood Country club, Chicago, 6—1, 6—3, 4—6, 6—1.

SCHENLEY PARK SPORTS.

Track in Fine Shape for Today's Events.

Schenley park track is in good shape for the completion of the tail end of the Fourth of July program this afternoon. Two bicycle events were left over, in addition to the broncho race and other novelties scheduled for the Fourth, which will be pulled off this afternoon if the weather is at all favorable.

The bicycle races to be decided are the one-mile and five-mile handicaps, both of which have a large entries. Three races will be started at 2 o'clock or very shortly after that hour. Following the bicycle events will come the race between E. C. Schelling, champion long distance runner, and the cowboy on horseback. The broncho race, with four starters, will then be put on and will also be run in heats. The pony race will be decided in one dash. The goat race will be sandwiched in some time during the afternoon.

SCOUTS SUICIDE THEORY.

Thayer Torreyson Says Ed Delehanty Fell into River.

The untimely death of Ed Delehanty, the late Washington American leaguer, has caused much comment among local fans. One who does not believe he committed suicide or met with foul play is Thayer Torreyson of Homestead. Torreyson was in Detroit when the Washington team was there on its last trip and saw Delehanty, who at the time was drinking.

"When I saw Delehanty in Detroit he was very much under the influence of liquor and the players of the team told me that he had been boozing for some time. He was unable to play ball because of his intoxication, and from the condition that I saw him in Detroit, I think that when he was put off the train he just did not know where he was and fell into the river."

Burns Pitched Well.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., July 10.—(Special.)—Homestead made it three straight today, shutting out the locals by Burns' good twirling. He allowed but five scattered hits. Lawrence was almost as effective. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
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BIGELOW'S WORK ABOUT FINISHED

Says He Has Nothing to Do After Duquesne Way Ordinance Passes Common Council.

BLANKET BILL WILL COME UP

Extra Sessions Next Week to Pass the Measure—Republicans Will Fight It. Bigelow Says He Does Not Know What Select Council Will Do.

"I will leave the city next week, but the Duquesne way ordinance will be passed by common council before I leave," said Director E. M. Bigelow yesterday. "Common council will meet Monday night, and probably again on Tuesday or Thursday. I do not know who will look after the Duquesne way ordinance in select council, nor do I know what that branch will do or when it will meet. After the ordinance is through common council it passes out of my hands," he said.

Director Bigelow was much elated yesterday over his decisive victory in common councils Thursday night. He said that as soon as the ordinance is out of common council and some other matters disposed of he intends to take a good rest.

"I intend then to drop out of existence," said he.

It is believed that the extra sessions which Director Bigelow referred to are for the purpose of putting through his blanket ordinance. This bill has been lost sight of in the fight over the railroad franchise, but Director Bigelow is anxious to get it through before he takes his vacation. It is believed the director will have more trouble in getting the blanket ordinance through than he did the Duquesne way ordinance, as the Republican members are expected to line up against it to a man.

Eighteen Signed the Call.

The call for the special session on Monday night was sent out last evening. Eighteen members signed the call, their names being obtained by Charles A. Finley, superintendent of the bureau of surveys. The names of the following members were attached to the call: D. C. Crawford, Richard McNally, Charles Cavett, E. G. Schwarzwaelder, John B. Moore, W. H. Barker, F. W. Bonint, Jacob Schuck, Henry Fitzpatrick, J. P. Sterrett, David Lewis, M. E. O'Brien, C. Beckert, Jr., John Lauler, John Martin, John Hogue, Thomas Delaney and Joseph Walls.

It is generally recognized that the fight in common council over the Duquesne way ordinance is over and that some of the members who voted against the ordinance Thursday night are expected to vote for it on final passage. The bill will come up on third reading Monday night and there can be no further debate unless the council body resolves itself into the committee of the whole. This is not likely, although it will no doubt be attempted by W. H. Stevenson, who is bent on fighting the bill to the last.

Mr. Stevenson stated yesterday that the action of common council Thursday night was illegal because the measure had not been reprinted. Director Bigelow sarcastically remarked that he supposed that was the reason Mr. Stevenson voted against the bill.

There is considerable speculation as to what select council will do with the Duquesne way ordinance. The general opinion is the ordinance will meet the same fate as the Baltimore & Ohio ordinance and will be sent to the corporations committee of the select branch, there to remain until the committee can be induced to take the bills up.

Hays Expressed Regret.

It is claimed by some wiseacres that the select council members responsible for holding up the Baltimore & Ohio bills had an understanding with Mayor William B. Hays, but this view is not generally accepted, although there are many willing to believe that the mayor will countenance a fight on the Pennsylvania ordinance when it reaches the upper body.

"I had hoped select council would pass the Baltimore & Ohio ordinances," said Mayor Hays when he learned of the action of select council.

PENNSYLVANIA-AMERICAN MERGER IS COMPLETED

Meeting of the New Trust Company Board Yesterday—Big Announcement Monday.

At a meeting yesterday of the board of directors of the new American Trust Company, the corporation created this week to take over the old company, all the details regarding the merger of the Pennsylvania Trust Company were successfully put through.

This leaves the American's merger complete and that company is now ready to enter the larger merger with the Colonial Trust Company and the Farmers' Deposit National bank. It is expected that the details of this will be completed on Monday next when an announcement of the terms and conditions on which the various institutions pass over their control to the single interest is expected. The completion of this deal is awaited with the greatest interest, as a very large number of persons are interested in each of the numerous institutions involved.

There has been considerable discussion between the various companies in regard to terms, and while there seems to have been at no time a serious disagreement many of the details that came up have prevented a formal decision until the present time.

TO HAVE A FOUNDRY.

Paden City Adds a New Industry to Those Already Incorporated for New Town.

The Ohio Valley Steel Foundry Company of Pittsburgh, with a capital stock of $150,000, was incorporated at Charleston, W. Va., yesterday by a number of well-known men of this city who are interested in Paden City, the new industrial town in West Virginia, on the Ohio river between Clarksburg and Sistersville.

The incorporators are T. A. Watkins, George R. Wallace, J. B. McAdoo and B. L. Hirschfield. The new company is but one of a half-dozen manufacturing companies incorporated by the same interests. These include the Paden glass works, to make table ware; the Pittsburgh Steel Casting Company and several others. Among those interested in the company beside the incorporators is C. G. Robinson of Cincinnnati.

STEEL HOOP SCALE HAS BEEN REDUCED

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 10.—(Special.)—A settlement has been effected on the steel hoop scale between the Amalgamated association and the Sharon Steel Hoop Company at Sharon. The company has been given several concessions on account of improved machinery. The rollers will receive a reduction of 17½ per cent from the scale, while the heaters will receive 12 per cent reduction. The roughe, will get no reduction. The settlement of the scale in Sharon will affect a number of concerns throughout the country, which will settle on the same basis.

Wholesale Jail Delivery.

WILLIAMS, KY., July 10.—Eleven prisoners escaped from jail here last night by prying out the iron grate in the floor. Five are charged with murder and other serious offences. Six prisoners refused to leave the jail.

Promotions Made In People's National Bank, Following Wardrop's Election

Robert Wardrop.

Following the announcement yesterday of the election of Robert Wardrop, vice president and cashier, to be president of the Peoples National bank, other officials of the bank have been promoted to fill the resulting vacancies.

Hervey Schumacher, who has been assistant cashier, becomes cashier. W. Dwight Bell, who has been for many years assistant cashier, is made secretary and assistant cashier. Frank L. Boggs, who has been loan clerk, will be second assistant cashier.

In the article in The Gazette yesterday announcing the advancement of Mr. Wardrop to the presidency of the bank, his picture was transposed by a mistake with that of Lewis T. Kurtz, the well-known New Castle attorney, who died on Thursday. The accompanying likeness shows Mr. Wardrop as he appears today, in the best of health and rich in his intimate knowledge of banking acquired by over 34 years of financial work in this city.

SOMEBODY HAS TALKED TO THE BROWN JURORS

Coroner McGeary Warns Them Not to Listen to Outsiders—Attempts to Approach Them Must Be Reported to Him.

Somebody has been talking to the jury selected by Coroner Jesse McGeary to determine the cause of Recorder J. O. Brown's death. When the case was called yesterday afternoon and an adjournment was taken until next Friday, the coroner delivered a lecture to the jurymen in which he gravely cautioned the men against allowing any person to talk to them about the case. Upon the adjournment being taken one of the jurors said:

"Somebody has been 'approached.' Who he is I do not know, but somebody has been talking too much."

The six jurors by this time had filed out of their seats and were about to leave the room when the coroner called them back. He talked confidentially to them and explained something at great length. The jurors, with long faces, seemed to drink in every word and repeatedly nodded their heads.

"Who has been talking to the jury?" the coroner was asked at the close of his interview with the jurors.

"Now ,really, that is something I cannot talk about," he answered. "I knew it was my duty to acquaint those six men with the importance of the matter and told them fully what the penalty would be. As to the circumstances surrounding the case, I cannot speak for publication."

The jurors by this time were making a bee line to get out of the building. When they were asked who had talked too freely each man ominously shook his head and refused to reply. When the hour for the inquest to resume its sessions had arrived Miss Nettie McLean, who had been the star witness last week, was in the coroner's office, together with W. B. Rodgers, her attorney, and Walter R. Black and Elias J. John, the dead recorder's nephews.

"Sessions of this inquest are postponed until next Friday," said the coroner, "and right here I desire to caution you men who have been selected to try this case to talk to no one on the street. You must reach your verdict through the evidence gleaned through the testimony submitted here. There must be no more talking to the jurors by parties outside, and if you are approached by any one it will be part of your duty to make an immediate report to me."

James R. P. Brown, the recorder's brother, who is conducting the investigation, was not present. He is still in the east gathering additional testimony. It is reported that he will return with affidavits from hotel employes in New York and Philadelphia, which will refute some of the testimony already submitted.

HOMEWOOD CARNIVAL TO HAVE NEW FEATURES

Midway Shows Will Close Tonight With Distribution of Prizes.

The Mardi Gras parade and festivities at the Homewood carnival last night drew the largest crowd of the week and all the visitors liberally patronized the midway shows.

Tonight will witness the closing of a most successful carnival season. There will be drawings for a lot and pony outfit and a general distribution of the carnival prizes. The midway will be at the height of its glory this afternoon and evening. New features will be added to the various attractions and there will be a general gala night to round out the busy week at the Homewood amusement grounds.

POPULAR VOTE PLAN.

Washington Republicans Think That It Will Be Selected in Conference Today.

Republican conferees from Beaver, Washington and Lawrence counties, comprising the Twenty-fourth congressional district, will meet at the Hotel Henry this afternoon to adopt a method of nominating a congressman. At a conference held a month ago, Washington and Lawrence voted to adopt the popular vote plan. Beaver stood out for the old conferee system. It was held that under a recent court ruling, the counties in the district would have to be unanimous.

In the meeting today Washington will claim that the court ruling simply means that each set of conferees must be vested with authority to represent their county in the conference. Washington Republicans say that there is no dispute on the question, and they will insist that as Washington and Lawrence voted for the popular vote method at the last conference, their plan has really been adopted. They expect Beaver to acquiesce in their view.

Senator M. S. Quay is still at his home in Beaver. The conferees from that county were waiting to get his advice and whatever course they take today will be considered as an expression of his views.

TEN THOUSAND WANTED TO SEE THE HANGING

MARION, ILL., July 10.—Calvin Price and Jerry Graves were hanged today for the murder of Mrs. Nellie Reichelderfer, a popular teacher. Both made confessions. Ten thousand people thronged the streets of the little town, but only a limited number were allowed to see the execution. All night teams and trains brought hundreds of people, who slept in their conveyances, on the ground or any place available.

CLEVELAND MERCHANTS VISIT M'KINLEY'S TOMB

CANTON, O., July 10.—(Special.)—A party of 25 retail merchants of Cleveland were accompanied by Col. J. J. Sullivan on a pleasure trip today. They visited Westlawn cemetery, where they viewed the tomb of the late president and put a bouquet on his bier.

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The company's capacity for this year is already covered by the orders received, and one order has been taken for 1904 delivery. Orders booked from now on will be for next year's output.

BOUGHT TWO HOTELS.

Pittsburgh Man Joint Purchaser of Hostelries at Ebensburg.

D. E. Park of Pittsburgh and J. Bert Denny, the latter proprietor of the Merchants hotel at Johnstown, Pa., yesterday purchased two hotels at Ebensburg, the Maple Springs hostelry, surrounded by 150 acres of ground, and the Belmont hotel with eight acres. The properties were bought from T. H. Heist for about $50,000. Both hotels are popular summer resorts. Mr. Denny will conduct both establishments.

Mr. Park owns a handsome summer home in Ebensburg which adjoins the Maple Park hotel.

GAVE $99 CASH FOR A CONFEDERATE BILL

Joseph Lena's ignorance of Confederate currency made him easy prey to a swindler, who secured $99 in good cash from Lena for a worthless $100 bill of the civil war period. This happened in Boston when he landed from Germany. Last night Lena arrived in Pittsburgh and tendered the Confederate bill to the clerk of the Hotel Birmingham, Carson street. The German was much surprised and bewildered when told that his money was good for nothing. Special Officer James Connor took up a collection to send him to McKeesport, his final destination.

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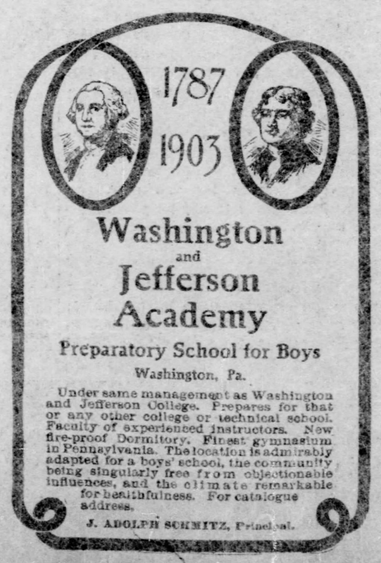

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Pope Leo's vitality has not been more amazing than his devotion to duty. One would naturally think that a man of 93 gradually sinking in death would have done with all official cares, but it is known that he has held conferences with cardinals on his death bed in regard to the situation of the church and the responsibilities of his successor. Pope Leo is great in his death as in his life.

Col. A. J. Logan, president of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce, after inspecting the flooded districts in the Brush creek valley, decides there is no need for formal action on the part of the chamber, but he suggests the members and other citizens of Pittsburgh should contribute individually to the Jeannette and Penn relief funds. Col. Logan estimates that at least $10,000 will be needed. But if twice that sum shall be given it can be expended to good advantage along the valley in clearing away the wreck and restoring sanitary conditions. In this situation no one should be backward about contributing. Unless funds are subscribed quickly women and children will be starving.

Recent as is the discovery of the wireless telegraph it is already receiving extensive commercial application. The public is familiar with its use to communicate with ocean steamers. Last month wireless telegraph communications were opened between the islands of Guadeloupe and Martinique in the West Indies, and a satisfactory service is maintained, an average of 60 messages each way being transmitted daily. Meanwhile, telephone communication in connection with cable lines is extending. A new telephone line between Belgium and London was recently opened, connecting Brussels with 12 English cities. The service is to be extended to other English cities and its success prognosticates that eventually England and Continental Europe will be included in a ... telephone communication.

...man Sterrett made a good point in ... that the removal of the Liberty ave... tracks would bring the city more ... than either the lump charge of ...000 or a charge of $50,000 annually ... amount to. The Pennsylvania rail... is the heaviest individual taxpayer in ... city, its property being assessed $5,127,... for purposes of taxation. The improve... ...ents contemplated in connection with the Duquesne way road will add millions to the company's assessment. In addition there will be a great enhancement of real estate values along Liberty avenue and throughout the Point district. From a business point of view it would be sheer folly to defeat the ordinance by refusing to make the exchange of franchises, except upon conditions which the company will not accept. The city will get much more than $50,000 a year by the removal of the tracks from Liberty avenue.

Controller Larkin is performing the greatest possible public service in promoting a thorough investigation of the bureau of health. Their is no department of public service in which negligence or incompetency is so injurious to the community, and it is to be hoped that the investigation will take a wide range. In addition to the ancient typhoid fever epidemic maintained by municipal neglect of the character of the water supply, we have had an amount of smallpox that is inconsistent with good administration. It is to be hoped the investigation will be carried into every branch of sanitary work. The kind of milk inspection the city is getting now deserves thorough exposure if current reports of the way in which the work is attended to be true. And the committee of investigation when it gets to work might profitably make inquiry as to political interference to prevent prosecution of vendors supplying milk below the proper grade of quality.

New Jersey Sunday school teachers meeting at Asbury park have declared war upon Santa Claus, who is denounced as a worthless, mediaeval myth, harmful to children by taking their minds off the real significance of the day. Santa Claus may be a myth, but where is the child that has been harmed by it? Great are the myths; there are more of them in all social and religious institutions than will ever be known, and if myths are to be eradicated simply because they are ... great will be the devastation in all ... human life gracious and pleasing. But human nature will not consent to the abolition of myths of social value, but adheres to them with a wisdom superior to logic. The great festivals of the Christian year are well known to be of pagan origin, turned to Christian use by dedication, but shall Christmas and Easter be abolished on that account? Attempts have been made to do so, but they were as futile as the New Jersey attack on Santa Claus will be.

Another special meeting of common council to consider the Duquesne way railroad ordinance has been called for Monday evening. Naturally the call will be denounced by the opposition to the removal of the Liberty avenue tracks as a further attempt to prevent discussion, but the majority of citizens will be glad to see progress made. This matter has been discussed for more than a year. It has settled into a question whether or not the tracks should be taken off Liberty avenue. The majority of common council stands for the affirmative. It yielded the point of discussion in committee, but at the first meeting of the committee the obstructionists refused to play because they were not winning the game. They walked out and broke a quorum. The chairman of the committee announced he would not call another meeting unless the anti-removal forces were given the upper hand. Then the ordinance was taken back into councils and passed on second reading in the face of persistent filibustering. There is but one way to deal with public business when the minority simply plays for delay, and that is to apply the gag. The contrast between the house and senate at Washington illustrates the difference between minority and majority rule. It is instructive. The people of Pittsburgh want the railroad tracks off Liberty avenue, and the majority has a right to push through the ordinance in the interest of municipal progress.

Turning Backward.

Progress is being made in the alum water propaganda, but none at all toward securing a purer water supply for Pittsburgh. The filtration committee yesterday adopted the monstrous report of the sub-committee, including its gross inaccuracies of statement, and recommended its presentation in councils. It also decided to report a resolution for the creation of another commission to investigate the subject of filtration. The resolution originally provided for investigation of systems for filtering other than sand filtration, but in deference to decent public sentiment the exception was struck out before the resolution was adopted. As a matter of fact, the change is unimportant, for it does not alter the purpose of the committee or the character of the proposed junket.

Just when this report and resolution are to be submitted to councils does not appear. They might be laid before common council next week, but it is more likely no action will be had until September. Then if the commission is authorized there will be another long delay while the commissioners further reduce the sum available for filtration by paying out the money for a worthless investigation intended to support a preconceived recommendation for an alum water system. Meantime typhoid fever will go on reducing the population at the rate of 10 a week, piling up burdens of debt on workingmen's shoulders and crippling industrial operations by putting an army of men on the sick list. These are the things the action of the filtration committee means, and the citizen can judge for himself the motives behind it.

In view of the exhaustive investigations of the muncipal commission of 1896 and the joint commission preceding it, the proposition to have more "investigation" is ridiculous in every aspect except the expenditure of money available for construction in the payment of the expenses of an inexpert councilmanic commission. There is nothing ridiculous, however, in the purpose to delay filtered water for months to come and then to foist upon the public a mechanical plant to deliver inferior alum water and cause an endless expense for maintenance. There is no fun in that. It signifies sorrow for thousands and anxiety for thousands more. Surely councils will never sanction it.

The Cannon Idea.

An occasion for party anxiety worse than the Iowa idea is created by Speaker Cannon's idea that there is no need for the enactment of any financial legislation by the next congress. As this antagonizes the policy of the administration and the declared purpose of party leaders, who are even now preparing a measure for submission to congress, Speaker Cannon's idea has made a great stir in national politics. He stands firm, however, and the situation is serious, as the speaker has abundant power to prevent action if he pleases to exert it.

The reasons given by Speaker Cannon for his attitude do not stand up under examination. He says that the present prosperous condition of the country and the increase in the national bank circulation in the last 12 months are such as to dissipate any fear lest the increase in the circulating medium should not continue to be enough for all legitimate business. It is true that national bank circulation increased during the year, but the secretary of the treasury said in his last annual report: "It is manifest that but for the extraordinary inducements offered by the department, national bank circulation would have contracted during the year." In order to prevent a dangerous contraction by a treasury lockup of funds, the secretary of the treasury bought $16,500,000 of bonds during the year, and increased public deposits in the national banks $27,700,000. Finally, by the conversion of $74,200,000 old government bond issues into new bond issues at 2 per cent, the secretary provided means for the organization of new banks and for the expansion of bank note circulation to the extent of $56,000,000.

The secretary of the treasury is, however, reaching the limit of his ability to keep up a supply of the circulating medium. Last year's surplus amounted to $52,700,000, and money keeps rolling into the treasury, locking up funds for which there is increasing need as the business of the country expands. Under the banking system of other countries currency supply responds automatically to the needs of trade. Our troubles about money to move the crops, etc., do not exist in neighboring Canada or any other country in the world. Other countries take precautions to ensure the redemption of note issues in gold and let the supply take care of itself. We condition note issues upon deposits of government bonds, so the amount of the circulating medium is not proportioned to business needs, but to the price and available supply of government bonds. In practice the system tends to contract the circulating medium just when expansion is needed, owing to business prosperity and increased transactions.

Speaker Cannon, who declares himself opposed to any measures relieving the situation, is the president of a national bank at Danville, Ill. His attitude will be apt to direct public attention to the fact that a formidable opposition to currency reform comes from banking interests. Country banks as a class are opposed to branch banking, as it would break up district monopoly of banking accommodations; they are also opposed to any legislation which would transfer the responsibility of note redemption in gold from the government to the banks.

The Business Situation.

The four principal farm crops—wheat, corn, oats and hay, annually contribute between $2,000,000,000 and $2,250,000,000 to the wealth of the United States. For this reason the business community rightly looks upon the crop situation as the dominant factor, and the latter enters into all large financial and commercial calculations to some extent. For some time past the sentiment has been growing that high tide had been reached in the wave of prosperity, and that the country had entered an era of more normal conditions in finance and trade. A great deal of interest was therefore felt in the government crop report for the present month, which was given out last night and is printed in full in another column of this morning's Gazette. While the condition of both winter and spring wheat was lowered during the past month, the increased acreage assures a full average yield, and this portion of the report may be said to be fairly satisfactory. The figures on corn, however, fulfill the worst fears as to the effect of the backward spring and the cold weather of June. The government reports the average condition on July 1 at 79.4, which is the lowest ever reported at this season and about 10½ per cent below the 10-year average. Not only is the average condition low, but the acreage planted shows a decrease of 4,200,000 acres, as compared with last year. It may be well to state, however, that the greatest damage to corn in years when there was a partial failure of the crop occurred in July, and was due to a comparatively dry spring and an unusually hot July. This year these meteorological conditions have been reversed, and it is certain that were the estimate made today it would be much higher. While the report is disappointing, there is ground for the hope that a continuation of highly seasonable weather during the ensuing two months will do much to offset the damage of last month.

Pig iron production this month reached the maximum output in the history of the industry. According to the figures of the Iron Age, the capacity of furnaces in blast on the 1st inst. was 414,636 tons a week, an increase of 16,497 tons a week over the June production and an increase of 63,746 tons a week over the output at the corresponding date last year. During the past month there was an increase in furnace stocks of 63,600 tons, the total stocks at the present time being estimated at 257,010 tons. There was an increase of seven in the number of furnaces in blast during the month. Manufacturers have been making strenuous efforts for two years past to bring the producing capacity up to the requirements of consumption. They appear to have reached this end. At least that is the inference to be derived from the increase in furnace stocks. Naturally there has been a reaction in market prices, but this reaction has not yet been sufficient to shut out foreign importations. During the week it was announced that a railroad in this country had placed an order with foreign makers because of the inability of domestic manufacturers to make prompt delivery. It is estimated that the mills in this country now have orders booked for 500,000 tons of steel rails for next year's delivery. But for the fact that during the past two years the iron market has been in an abnormal condition, the present situation of the trade would be regarded as satisfactory in the extreme.

In Wall street some anxiety was expressed as to the future of the money market, due to the fact that approximately $6,800,000 gold was exported during the week. This movement is largely ascribed to the continued high price of cotton, which checks the foreign demand and reduces the volume of cotton bills at this season. The anxiety over future money market conditions, however, is largely confined to speculators in stocks, although it is nevertheless true that commercial borrowers in interior markets, and railroad corporations which have been unable to sell securities to provide the means for making improvements, are feeling the pinch. This has been directly responsible for the resumption of liquidation in the stock market, the effect of which has been to again depress values to the lowest level for more than two years.

Summing up the situation, the incidents of the week suggest that the prudent business man will proceed cautiously in incurring fresh obligations for the next two months at least, when it will be possible to make a trustworthy estimate of both crop yields and the industrial outlook.

Support for Koch.

Experiments reported upon by the Berlin Medical society Thursday tend to confirm the opinion of Prof. Koch that bovine and human tuberculosis are dissimilar. The announcement of that opinion, it will be remembered, created a great sensation at the meeting of the international medical congress at London more than a year ago. Many doctors and bacteriologists refused to accept it, though it was to Prof. Koch they owed the original theory that bovine tuberculosis was transmissible to human kind.

The tests made by the Berlin Medical society have included the administration of human tubercle bacilli to cows and calves by hypodermic injection by the stomach and by inhalation. In no case was any cow affected, in several of the calves diseases were produced, but they did not strongly resemble bovine tuberculosis. The society declines to regard the question as fully decided by its experiments, but says all of the evidence thus far adduced supports Prof. Koch's opinion declared at the London congress.

The unwillingness manifested to accept Prof. Koch's riper opinion is apparently due to the fear that abandonment of this widely accepted theory will weaken the public faith in the entire germ theory of disease. Prof. Koch has been a leader in the promulgation of the bacterial theory and its accompanying principle of serum therapy. In fact, his researches and those of Pasteur constitute the foundation of the system. Prof. Koch does not abandon his belief that tuberculosis is caused by a specific germ, but he has withdrawn an early opinion that the disease has been spread by milk and meat from tuberculous cattle—an opinion that has caused the destruction of many valuable dairy herds and contributed to the scarcity and high price of beef. Why this should menace the germ theory of diseases does not appear to the layman unless indeed the bacteriologists feel that it rests upon such a precarious foundation that they cannot afford to part with even a single portion.

Opponents to the removal of the railroad tracks from Liberty avenue are naturally not satisfied with the clause providing for compensation or tax to be levied by general ordinance on all railroads alike. They simply don't want Liberty avenue relieved of the incubus, and being afraid to say so give their opposition the form of a compensation which they know the railroad company will not agree to.

In regard to the desire of the Catholic Herald of London to have the czar of Russia make representations to the government at Washington about the lynching habit in America, we can only say, send on your representations, Yankeedom is not thin-skinned.

So much fuss is made about a provision for joint use of the Duquesne way elevated that it may be worth while to note that such a provision in the Junction railroad franchise is not being taken advantage of.

If Russia wants to present a petition on the growing lynching evil in the United States, why doesn't it present it? It will be received with thanks. But the bluff and bluster about it adds little to the gaiety of nations.

A quick trial and hanging of Murderer Cruber will discourage the lynching spirit at Greensburg and reflect credit upon the community.

Vice Admiral Lord Charles Beresford is not one whit behind the emperor of Germany in the art of pouring from his taffy mould.

King Peter of Servia was on the throne at last accounts, but his reign has not yet rivaled the period of his predecessor.

A national guardsman turns up with his heart on the right and the wrong side at one and the same time.

It will be a pity if a squabble over the selection of an architect causes delay in building the memorial hall.

President Loubet in England had the time of his life, with few memories of fete champetres in St. Petersburg.

When the shower reduced the temperature old General Humidity took command of the discomforting forces.

A woman Enoch Arden is the latest, and as might be expected, she takes a sensible view of the situation.

It is a weak parliamentary contention that a bill must be printed two or three times on one reading.

Our Pirates have become so good that interest in the pennant race is waning as exultation rises.

Greensburg's lynching party was luckily foiled for the better repute of Westmoreland.

Failure of Judge Parker's boom to fire the south may be charged to the damp weather.

The new transmitting typewriter will be heartily welcomed by the pugilistic stars.

Cannon's currency idea is not of large enough caliber to be popular.

At any rate that peculiar citizen soldier is not heartless.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

The prince of Wales has been promoted to the rank of vice admiral in his majesty's fleet.

Paris is to have a statue of Byron from the chisel of M. Jean de Charmey, who has made notable monuments of Baudelaire, Sainte-Beuve and Alfred de Vigny.

John W. Bates of Weymouth, Mass., has in his possession the original old flint-lock rifle used by John L. Burns at Gettysburg, to whom a monument was recently dedicated on the battlefield.

The president of Bolivia has returned to his country after having agreed with the commander-in-chief of the Brazilian forces in Acre upon the place that Gen. Aroyas shall occupy until the authorities have settled the Acrean dispute.

Considerable surprise is expressed over the smallness of the estate left by Paul du Chaillu, the explorer and author. Mr. Du Chaillu received much money from wealthy patrons and scientific societies to carry on his exploring work, and also obtained handsome returns from the sale of his books, but he left only $500. The late Justice Charles P. Daly in his will set aside a trust fund of $25,000 for the use of Mr. Du Chaillu.

The Mob Spirit.

Probably if an Evansville policeman had been killed by a negro two years ago, or even one year ago, there would have been no rioting, but today the mob spirit is rife in many northern cities. Lawlessness in one community inflames the lawless element in another community and it lays hold of the first opportunity to break the law.—Chicago Tribune.

THE CONTENTED MAN.

In winter time I kick not at the cold
Nor at the sidewalk's icy covering,
Nor at the price at which the coal is sold,
Though that may strike most people as a string.
By hold-up men and gas concerns I'm rolled
As others are, and yet I do not beef,
By one sweet thought I ever am consoled
If I should chance to be disposed to grief.
A blazing fire I do with joy behold
And revel in the pleasant furnace heat;
In wadded bed clothes I myself enfold
And think: "In winter to be warm is sweet."
There is the comfort and the peace I find
When through my whiskers blows the wintry wind.

In sultry summer I do not complain,
Though in the heavens shines a glazing sun,
With heat enough to bake a person's brain.
And in the pavement cracks the pitch doth run,
Though parched the land and scorched the unripe grain
And thickly swarm the skeeters and the flies;
Though garden truck is suffering for rain
Without a prospect in the cloudless skies.
In spite of all contented I remain,
I hie me to the limpid bathing pool,
Sit in the shade and well-iced drinks do drain
And think: "What joy in summer to keep cool!"
I've always found contentment is no trick
And then, besides, it ain't no use to kick.
—Chicago News.

The Quiet Observer.

ERASMUS WILSON.

An old shoe string and a sixpenny nail,
Some grocer's twine and a shell of a snail,
Two hickory nuts and an old brass pin,
A lump of gum and a piece of tin,
Two marbles, a top and a fishhook or two,
A dozen "B" shot and his father's corkscrew,
A button, a knife and a leather sling,
An empty spool and some more string,
Tobacco tags, of a kind galore,
A penny whistle and an apple core,
A piece of rubber and a stale fishworm,
(Which I knew by the odor had lost its squirm,)
Four carpet tacks and a discarded locket
I found tonight in my dear boy's pocket.
—Indianapolis Journal.

There's a boy for you!

Maybe you know him, or have known him. At least you heard of him.

He is the boy who does things and wants to do more, and he will do more, too, whether you will let him or not.

And the beauty about it is that he is just as ready and willing to do right as wrong, provided the inducements are the same. But if doing right things does not pan out in the way of one as well as the other, he is liable to do the other.

And can you blame him?

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You don't care for the trumpery he has in his pockets, but he does, and it won't hurt you; so let him have it. Maybe, if you make him dump it and threaten to beat him if he takes on another load of the same sort of rubbish, he may think you don't know a good thing when you see it, or that you don't love him, or have it in for him, which is good for neither you nor the boy.

You may want to see him clean and tidy and nice, and insist on him sitting up straight, like a little man, and scold him if he rumples his hair, or gets his white waists soiled, or plays with the dog and gets hairs on his stuff pants, or teases the cat until it scratches his pretty little hands.

Or, maybe, you insist upon him sitting still and keeping quiet, or walking orderly instead of running, or galloping on all fours.

If so you are torturing him, for of all things distasteful, disagreeable and tiresome to a healthy, wholesome boy, sitting still and keeping quiet are the worst—the worst ever.

And more than that, it is not natural for him to sit still and be quiet. His muscles and limbs must be used while they grow so they will adapt themselves to their respective uses. And his tongue must be exercised and trained to utter words, his vocal organs to produce sounds of various kinds, and his lungs to furnish the wind to keep the machine going.

Thus, you see, or may see, that he has got to be busy—on the jump from morning till night.

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Every man was a boy once, if he is a man of any account. As a rule the more boyish he was the more mannish he is now.

There are boys and boys, just as there are men and men.

Boys are the original noise producers and nerve destroyers, which makes them interesting objects for special study. For instance:

The best boy—Every mothers owns him, every father is proud of him, and yet it takes a great deal of the "corrective" to keep him at his best.

The worst boy—Belongs to the next door neighbor every time, and is the hatefullest, meanest, homeliest, stuck-upest boy that ever stole a fellow playmate's skates and broke the side rails off from your boy's sled; and how ridiculously they do dress that boy!

The funny boy—Is always cutting up some rusty to bring a laugh. He turns himself inside out, and if he makes a hit he keeps at it until he winds up his career in the circus ring retailing thousand-year-old jokes.

The saucy boy—Calls his mother a "squint-eyed logarithm," twigs his fingers on his nose at his father, invents astonishing nicknames for all the cranky people in the neighborhood, and with his hands in his pocket stands on the street corners and yelps his "sass" right in the face and eyes of everybody—yet he never seems to reap his reward.

The wicked boy—Works on the sly. He wanders forth after dark, breaking in all the skating ponds, sprinkling ashes on the coasting grounds, setting logs of wood against back doors and ringing bells. Essentially mischievous, with a tinge of ugliness, he holds court with a reign of terror, and every boy stands in fear of him. But he is the sleakest, quietest looking boy on the street.

The scholarly boy—Pores over school books when he ought to be out getting snowballed. He corrects his mother's grammar, improves the style of his father's conversation, and with an air of superiority kindly allows his parents to exist under the same roof with him, and be proud of his attainments. The chances are that he will one day teach a district school at $12 a month, and really think he is moving the world.

The tough boy—Reads dime novels, smokes a clay pipe, frequents the "nigger heaven" in theaters, steals from the apple stands on the corner, is up nights, goes home in a beastly state of intoxication by the time he is 14, and at 20 stands on the corner in checked pants, "loud" luster, plug hat and low-neck shirt, a living picture of dissipation.

The newsboy—Take one whiff of him as he stands 16 deep to buy his papers. The world over, the newsboy carries a distinctive odor, reeking with tobacco smoke, onion soup and the results of a changeless shirt. But he can give an intelligent answer to any question you ask him, and is the longest distance from a fool of any of the boys. He eats great quantities of taffy and delights in "giving it away."

The boy in "gig lamps"—Is seldom met, but the unfortunate little coot always looks like some miniature book agent with sore eyes.

The farmer's boy—Wears the biggest boots he can persuade to stay on his feet, has a sturdy, rugged little frame, hard muscles, lots of red blood in his face, can race over the fields, ride a wild colt, drive a boss cow and snare more partridges and rabbits than the best sportsman. He says "gosh" occasionally, and looks with wondering eyes at everything town bred. But he is the boy who works his way to the city and replenishes its dissipated life with his physical vigor and quick perceptions, and is the motive power that moves the business of the world. He inhales the spirit of progress in the air he breathes up on the old farm.

Boys, yes, boys. We were all boys once, with exceptions in favor of girls, of course, and don't let us forget it. Let us remember that the world was once a distant panoramic show to us, as it is to boys nowadays, and let us encourage boys in their boyishness, that they may never entirely work out of their system the good spirits and jollity that was born in them. Let us be old boys ourselves. We shall feel better for it.

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Up in the attic where I slept
When I was a boy, a little boy!
In through the lattice the moonlight crept,
Bringing a tide of dreams that swept
Over a low, red trundle bed,
Bathing the tangled curly head,
While the moonbeams played at hide and seek
With the dimples on the sun-browned cheek—
When I was a little boy!

And oh! the dreams—the dreams I dreamed!
When I was a little boy!
For the grace that through the lattice streamed
Over my folded eyelids seemed
To have the gift of prophecy,
And to bring the glimpses of time to be
When manhood's clarion seemed to call—
Oh! that was the sweetest dream of all,
When I was a little boy!

I'd like to sleep where I used to sleep
When I was a boy, a little boy!
For in at the lattice the moonlight would peep,
Bringing her tide of dreams to sweep
The crosses and griefs of the years away
From the heart that is weary and faint today;
And those dreams should give me back again
A peace I have never known since then—
When I was a boy, a little boy.

Currency Reform.

There is a growing sentiment, already very strong, throughout the country that the banking currency should have a responsive relation to the actual needs of business, and should increase or diminish with these needs. The present currency has no such relation. It depends for its expansion or contraction mainly on the market price of United States bonds, as has been amply and expensively demonstrated in the past 20 years. If this defect in our system be not corrected, it is perfectly certain that with the first pressure of stagnation in business the Democratic partisans of inflation will begin to agitate for more government paper, and they will appeal to strong sentiment. The Republicans are bound by a patriotic duty, as well as impelled by the highest expediency to forestall any such result. It can only be done by a practical and rational reform of the bank currency, and Mr. Cannon should not be allowed to stand in the way.—New York Times.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 10.—Parks are among the greatest blessings known to city children. Not only in the heat of July when a hot wave is ravaging the tenements and striking down little victims on either hand by the hundred, but even in the depth of winter, when the red ball is up and skating on four or six inches of ice on the park lake is the sport of the hour, is the park a place to be sought eagerly from early morn until curfew in the late evening. It is pleasant to talk about skating just now. But none the less pleasant was it this afternoon to see the urchins, with their little sisters, gamboling on the greensward, under the mighty trees that are so thick in Central park. It is easier for city children to get to Central park than to Coney Island, and I do not know but that the park is cooler and pleasanter than the sands of Coney under such a sun as we have had for the last few days. Not but what Coney has been well patronized, too. There is always sea bathing, and that atones for a multitude of discomforts in the way of sand flies, refraction from the white sand and blistered noses and shoulders. Still, for real, unadulterated comfort, there is nothing better than a park. It matters little whether it is Schenley or Highland in Pittsburgh, or Central or Prospect in Greater New York—the park is the thing. Commissioner Wilcox is about to open the playgrounds in Central park for the children. He drove the youngsters off about two months ago when he found that they were destroying the grass, but he could not find it in his heart today to be strict, although the embargo will not be lifted for a day or two. Park policemen looked another way if a little girl happened to sit on the grass with her doll or a boy ran across after his ball. Even park commissioners are human.

The Latest Hot Weather Beverage.

"Ping-pong punch" is one of the new liquid horrors for hot weather. It looks like pink lemonade and tastes like ice cream soda.

Better Times Are Coming.

It is officially stated that breadstuffs are 2.4 per cent lower in price than they were a year ago, although clothing is a little more expensive. Altogether it appears as if it is cheaper to live now than it used to be. If coal keeps down, as there is every probability it will, there should be better times for working people in New York next winter.

Iced Lemonade the Last Thought of Queen.

In a white hearse drawn by white horses, the remains of Gussie McKee, the "poolroom queen," were carried from her home to the Grand Central station, whence they went by train to White Plains to be interred. Iced lemonade was served at the house to the persons attending the funeral services, and it was said that these refreshments were ordered by the deceased when she was on her deathbed. She wanted a spectacular funeral and she insisted that every detail should be watched. The fact that she thought about such a trifle as iced lemonade was characteristic of the woman who has contrived to make enormous wealth out of such a precarious calling as playing the races.

By Boat and Rail to New York.

New York men who can afford to keep steam yachts in commission are having a splendid time just now. It has become the fad for bankers and other dignitaries of the Wall street world to ride to and from Atlantic Highlands in their yachts, and "commute" by railroad between the Highlands and Long Branch. This sounds a little complicated, but it is not so bad when one has a $160,000 yacht at one's disposal. Who minds a short "commute" in addition to the trip through the harbor and along the coast in these torrid July days.

Show Girls Out of a Job.

"Down goes the price of girls," as poor Saulsbury used to sing many years ago. There are more "show girls" walking the hot pavements of Broadway this week than have been out of an engagement since last summer. So much talk was set loose about the demand for girls to sing, march and dance in musical comedies, that thousands of young women of graceful figure and fair voice turned to the stage, with the idea of bringing Wall street brokers to their feet and being "show girls" who own automobiles. The double sextet in "Florodora" was responsible for a great deal of it. The natural consequence was that a few weeks ago managers found they could get "show girls" without half trying, and down went salaries. Now that several of the big extravaganzas have closed for the summer there are a great many young women who would be glad of work on the stage for the next six weeks at much less than the salaries they demanded last fall. It is the immutable law of supply and demand. "Show girls" are as attractive on Broadway as behind the footlights—they have to be, or they would lose their vogue—but there is no salary to be got for promenading outside the theater, sad to say.

Lots of Work in Kansas.

Hundreds of men are walking about New York looking for work, while farmers in Kansas and other parts of the west are offering good wages, with board and lodging, for harvest hands and general laborers. Why don't the idle men in New York go west? They would not have to pay their own fares and there is a season's work for them if they will take it. So far the only class of New Yorkers inclined to take advantage of the opportunity are college students, and they are departing at the rate of several score a day. The young man who is willing to work in the harvest field for money to pay for his education is the best type of American whenever you find him.

Mother Jones' Army Worries Police.

"Mother Jones" and her army of men, women and children from the ranks of striking Philadelphia textile workers are nearing New York. They expect to be here by tomorrow night. The police are not worried. They do not know just what they will do with the army when it arrives for their usual resource, the using of their clubs when there is no other argument, does not seem to fit this case. As for J. P. Morgan, to visit whom is the ostensible purpose of the "Mother Jones" pilgrimage, there is no one courageous enough to ask him what he thinks of it. It is generally admitted in Wall street that the spectacle of "Mother Jones" and her dusty, foot sore followers plunging up the stone steps of the J. P. Morgan & Co.'s offices at the corner of Wall and Broad streets will be worth seeing.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria.
H. M. Flinn.
J. Bindley.
W. Y. Bradley.
W. H. Rowe.

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F. D. Hallock and family.
Mr. Caldwell.
Mrs. Caldwell.
Miss Lena Weiss.
Alice McClure.

Netherland.
William Stewart.
Mary E. Armstrong.

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H. W. Klein.
Mrs. Klein.
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Lucelle Eckert.
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Miss Edith McFarlane.
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H. W. Cromer.
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D. A. Ripley.
W. C. Dickson.
W. J. Hartzel.
George Mitchell.
W. H. Schaffer.
J. F. Mullison.

Gilsey.
Martin Witmer.
G. W. Ackerman.
Miss Clara Witmer.
Mrs. E. Ackerman.

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Dr. E. P. Logan.
Mrs. Logan.

Victoria.
M. Horne.
Mrs. Horne.
S. C. Scott.
Locker Wilbur.

Albemarle.
E. J. Donnelly.
G. H. Thomas.

Grand Union.
G. A. Kerr.
C. S. Eburg.

Park Avenue.
W. Becker.

Astor.
T. Huckertrels.
C. Lampert.
D. J. Conwell.

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R. F. Himes.
D. Y. Learned.

Marlborough.
T. M. McLenahan.
Mrs. McLenahan.
G. E. Myers.
Mrs. Myers.
J. M. Sprague.
Mrs. Sprague.

Albert.
Miss M. McDonald.
Miss J. McDonald.

Kensington.
F. Munshower.
Mrs. Munshower.

New Amsterdam.
F. M. Alexander.
W. W. Speers.

Broadway Central.
Barnett brothers.
H. E. Hepner.
N. C. Kingsbury.
L. H. Lee.
J. R. Mahoney.
C. Rosenthal.
A. Goldman.
T. J. Willing.

Grand.
John Jacques.
W. J. White.
Mrs. White.

Out of the Game.

In his talk to students at Lincoln, Mr. Bryan said he had been a star ballplayer in his college days. His batting average has fallen off considerably of late.—Washington Post.

Political Drift.

The resignation of Representative J. J. Gill of the Sixteenth Ohio district from congress has brought out quite a large list of candidates. An old personal friend of the late President McKinley, G. E. Bradfield of Barnesville, is one of the possibilities from Belmont county. Former Prosecuting Attorney Hunter Armstrong and C. L. Weems are also aspirants. Judge William McDonald Miller, who has been Mr. Gill's political manager in Jefferson county, is also reckoned as a probable candidate for the nomination. Mr. J. H. Fimple, assistant commissioner of the land office in the interior department, has likewise been mentioned. There are a multitude of others, but all men of only a local reputation.

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Reverting to the Cleveland candidacy for another nomination the Washington Post (Ind. Dem.) says: "Renewal of the Cleveland boom has started southern politicians to commenting about the struggle below Mason and Dixon's line for Democratic votes, which would ensue should the ex-president receive another nomination. An Arkansas representative, in town a few days ago, declared his state would go Republican with Cleveland at the head of the Democratic ticket. That might well be questioned, but over in Virginia well-informed Democrats are not taking a contented view of the situation. In 1892 Mr. Cleveland, who never was popular in the old dominion, carried the state by the small majority of 1,500, and then only after a tremendous fight. There is an election law in force throughout Virginia which permits the dominant party to manipulate returns as it pleases, but even then the campaign in Virginia would certainly be vigorous and not improbably the outcome doubtful right up to election day."

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Of the need for currency legislation the Washington Star (Ind. Rep.) says: "Although Mr. Cannon has denied the sentiments recently attributed to him on the subject of currency legislation, the publication has led to a wide discussion, and the public is already the gainer by it. Newspapers and politicians, east and west, have taken the matter up, and if no agreement has yet been reached as to the terms of the measure, it has been made very plain that a more elastic currency, well safeguarded, should be provided by the Fifty-eighth congress. Nor is anything more likely than that the new congress will address itself to the question and solve it to the country's advantage."

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Speaking of rumors regarding the conduct of the next Republican national campaign, the Baltimore American (Rep.) says: "The positive announcement by Senator Lodge that he will not accept the chairmanship of the national Republican committee for the campaign of 1904, and his additional statement that Senator Hanna will continue in that position, may be accepted as official. Senator Lodge stands at the right hand of President Roosevelt, and if there was the slightest foundation for the rumors that the president distrusts Senator Hanna and wishes Mr. Lodge to manage the campaign next year, the latter would know of it and would not place himself so positively on record as favoring Mr. Hanna's continuance in the role of the active party manager."

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Discussing the reported Cannon interviews, the New York Times (Ind.) warns the Republican leaders that they are responsible for the speaker's attitude. It continues: "There is a growing sentiment, already very strong, throughout the country that the banking currency should have a responsive relation to the actual needs of business, and should increase or diminish with these needs. The present currency has no such relation. It depends for its expansion or contraction mainly on the market price of United States bonds, as has been amply and expensively demonstrated in the past 20 years."

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Rhode Island Republicans are likely to have a lively canvass for the nomination for governor. At least eight candidates have been prominently suggested, including Gen. William Ames, R. H. I. Goddard, George L. Shepley, George H. Utter, Frank E. Holden, J. P. Burlingame, Rathbone Gardner and F. P. Garretson, to which list might also be added ex-Gov. Elisha Dyer, whose popularity, some think, is alone strong enough to win the state back from the Democratic column. Gen. Ames, a self-centered man and widely liked, is regarded as one of the strongest possibilities.

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"The creation of a distinctive office-holding class in this country," says the Milwaukee Sentinel (Rep.), "would not be desirable, if it were possible, and that was doubtless far from Mr. White's thought, but there should be a larger percentage of citizens fitted to intelligently administer public affairs when called to office. Our scheme of education at present pays little attention to the great field of public affairs. Beyond the rudiments of civil government nothing is taught with special reference to such matters outside the colleges and universities, and in those institutions education along that line is confined to the general principles of political economy, which are, of course, helpful, but not all that might be taught."

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Another straw in the wind is observed by the Kansas City Journal (Rep.), which says: "The independence day letter of Mr. Cleveland to Tammany Hall, the first one of its kind for 10 years, is fuller of significance than of polysyllables. It is another link in the chain of evidence which convicts Mr. Cleveland of a desire to be nominated once more for the presidency. As a powerful cog in the Democratic party machinery Tammany must be catered to by a candidate who expects his boom to receive its principal impetus from the east. With Tammany and New York marching up the convention aisles shouting 'Four years more of Grover!' the support of the anti-Bryan Democracy ought to be easily crystallized."

A GOOD NIGHT'S WORK

CARRIES HIS HEART ON THE RIGHT HAND SIDE

National Guardsman's Most Vital Organ Has Been Displaced from Birth—Gives Him Little or No Inconvenience.

With his heart on the right side of his chest five inches from the normal location of that organ, Edward W. Long, a member of Company D, Eighteenth regiment, N. G. P., has a ready permit for his discharge from the service. The soldier was examined yesterday by Dr. C. C. Wiley, regimental surgeon, and will be relieved of the arduous duties of camp this summer. Long's deformity has existed from birth and causes him no inconvenience. He is perhaps the only man in the United States who can boast of having his heart so promiscuously misplaced.

Edward W. Long.

Long is 22 years of age and lives in Brewery street. He is a cab driver and joined the Eighteenth regiment upon its reorganization after the Spanish war. Long had developed a slight attack of asthma and went to Dr. Wiley to be examined. The physician at once discovered that the patient's heart was out of position, and Drs. Meanor and Kountz were called in to make a confirmatory examination. Later on an X-ray examination and photograph will be made of the man's heart. Dr. Wiley said:

"The heart is on the right-hand side. Such cases as his are known as congenital dextracardia and are rare. Medical authorities enumerate cases and I have seen others, but none in which the position of the heart was so far to the right as in this instance. The apex impulse can be seen and felt two and one-half inches to the right of the median line. The subject is slightly asthmatic, but otherwise suffers no especial inconvenience. The heart sounds are normal. He has no valvular disease, no hypertrophy or dilation, the rate, however, being slightly accelerated. The case is an anomaly and of interest only as such, having existed since birth."

MILE-A-MINUTE GAIT FOR AUTOS

Records May Be Broken in Local Races Today on the Beechwood Boulevard.

OVER 50 ENTRIES BOOKED

Pittsburgh Automobile Club Will Hold Eight Events for Various Classes of Road Machines and One Race for All Makes of Cars.

Fast time will be made on the Beechwood boulevard this afternoon at the second series of races planned by the Pittsburgh Automobile club. With the proper weather conditions it is expected that some big records will be broken and the spectators may see some of the big racing machines flying along the course at the rate of a mile a minute. If this speed is not reached, some enthusiasts will be sadly disappointed.

The races will begin at 1:30 o'clock on the mile speedway at the lower end of the boulevard. To prevent accidents the course will be roped off and special patrolmen in automobiles will have charge of the grounds. Nine races will be run. Of these eight will be for cars owned by members of the club. The ninth race will be a free-for-all event, and it is in this that the fastest time probably will be made because manufacturers from other cities will send their racing machines here to compete. The nine classes are as follows:

A, motor cycles; B, electric cars; C, steam cars weighing less than 1,200 pounds; D, steam cars weighing over 1,200 pounds; E, gasoline cars weighing less than 1,000 pounds; F, gasoline cars weighing between 1,000 and 1,500 pounds; G, gasoline cars weighing between 1,500 and 2,000 pounds; H, gasoline cars weighing over 2,000 pounds; I, free-for-all, open to all cars except motor cycles, whether owned by members of the club or not.

The entries registered are as follows:

Class A—A. L. Banker.

Class B—A. L. Banker, L. G. Martin, J. H. Lindsay.

Class B, 1—W. C. Temple, T. H. Hartley, W. N. Murray, L. E. Reineman, J. J. Burke.

Class C—Reuben Miller, Jr.; W. H. Artzberger, S. F. Hammond, W. H. Artzberger.

Class D—J. H. Lindsay, W. P. McVay, J. H. Lindsay, L. W. Smith.

Class E—A. L. Banker, F. T. F. Lovejoy, George A. Kelly, Jr.; J. H. W. Myers, W. N. Murray, Dr. W. C. Cook, H. M. Laughlin.

Class F—Reade W Bailey, Clarence Fleming, T. H. Guffey, Dr. George Uriling.

Class G—E. H. Beldon, C. P. Matheson, A. L. Banker, George H. Flinn, George E. Turner, Harvey Miller, F. A. McCune, Thomas Wittmer, W. C. Temple.

Class H—William Graff, A. R. Neeb, Ralph Clemson.

Class I—White Sewing Machine Company, Pittsburgh Automobile Company, Banker Bros. Co., A. L. Banker, A. L. Banker.

The racing committee is composed as follows: W. C. Temple, W. Linford Smith, George H. Hallman, Reuben Miller, Jr., and W. L. Elkins.

SLAYER OF THE BERRYS ARE ADMITTED TO BAIL

TOPEKA, KAN., July 10.—The supreme court today allowed Chauncey Dewey, W. D. McBride and Clyde Wilson, the St. Francis ranchmen who killed the Berry family to go free from jail upon securing $15,000 bond. Chauncey Dewey said this afternoon that the bond had been arranged for and that they would be out of jail Monday.

Soldiers Home from Manila.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—The transport Thomas, Captain Buford, arrived today from Manila with three squadrons of the Fifth cavalry, companies G. and H. of the army engineers, 150 sick and 400 wounded.

Sons of Temperance Adjourn.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., July 10.—The national convention of the Sons of Temperance has adjourned and will meet next year in Philadelphia. The action of the Most Worthy Patriarch in suspending the Ohio grand division was sustained by the national division. The question of the suspension has been in abeyance several years.

Avoid the Hot Wave By Taking Advantage of the Pennsylvania Railroad Seashore Excursion on July 16th.

Special train leaves Union station 8:35 a. m., with through coaches and Pullman parlor cars to Atlantic City without change. Evening train at 10 p. m., with through sleeping cars to Atlantic City and sleeping cars to Philadelphia. Rate, $10, good in coaches only; and $12 in parlor and sleeping cars, when accompanied by the usual Pullman charges.

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$10,000 NEEDED IN JEANNETTE

President A. J. Logan of the Chamber of Commerce Says Flood Sufferers Need Help.

HE VISITS THE DISTRICT

Local Body Will Not Raise a Fund, but Members Will Make Contribution to the Relief Committee—There Is No Friction.

The chamber of commerce will not raise a special fund for the flood sufferers of the Brush Creek valley, but many of the members will make contributions. Col. A. J. Logan, president of the chamber, yesterday made a personal inspection of the devastated district and is of the opinion that $10,000 are needed to care for the afflicted.

The difference existing between members of the Jeannette relief committee have been settled, as this statement sent The Gazette last night will show:

With the intention of correcting an erroneous impression as regards the conditions under which the relief fund at Jeannette is being received and distributed, the members of that committee desire to make public the following statement: There is no friction or controversy regarding who shall handle the money. Mr. Roland Merrell is the only authorized treasurer, and with him the members of the relief committee are working in perfect harmony. All money sent to him will reach the direct source for which it was intended.

Still Need $10,000.

The relief committee is distributing money only after a personal investigation is made. The receipt of the persons so assisted is taken. Matters are on a strictly business basis and the reported friction is a matter growing out of a misunderstanding that only existed for a few minutes.

We are thankful to the people for the assistance already given, but make a plea to those who are able to assist the sufferers further. About $3,000 has been distributed, and about $10,000 more is needed, and at once.

The moneys collected will be used for the benefit of persons in the entire flooded district, including Jeannette, Manor and Penn, where the loss to property was unusually heavy.

JOHN W. ANTHONY,
Chairman Relief Committee.
ROLAND MERRELL, Treasurer.

Col. Logan was accompanied to Jeannette by Select Councilman Charles H. West of the Nineteenth ward, who is at the head of the Westmoreland Specialty Glass works at Grapeville. They were met by officers of the relief committee and driven over the flooded district extending from Oakford park to Penn.

Chamber Will Not Raise Fund.

"The chamber of commerce as a body," said Col. Logan, after his return from Jeannette, "will not take up the relief work. The relief committee at Jeannette is capable of conducting the work of aiding the flood sufferers. I am of the opinion that the best way of relieving the suffering is to send all contributions to the committee direct."

Col. Logan said he found the committee working harmoniously, and willing to listen to suggestions that would aid it in the work. There are a great many families in the devasted district in need of aid and in Col. Logan's opinion it will take about $8,000 or $10,000 to properly relieve the sufferers. Col. Logan stated that the relief committee has about 65 families receiving aid and the contributions recived only amount to $2,860. The principal losses will fall on corporations and manufacturing concerns and of course, they can not be expected to contribute for any great amount to the relief fund," said Col. Logan. Acting under his advice the relief committees of Jeannette and Penn decided to consolidate and hereafter all money collected through the Jeannette committee will be applied to relief work of the entire district affected by the flood. He said that the committee had also decided to ask for contributions of household goods and groceries.

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Through the efforts of the pastor of the church, the Rev. D. L. Johnson, D. D., this sum is raised, and all that is left to be done is to order the organ and have it installed. Mr. Carnegie was notified yesterday that one-half of the money needed had been raised, and his half is expected to be sent to the church at once.

Contract for Railroad Shops.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 10.—(Special.)—The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company has just awarded a contract for $30,000 to the Nicola Construction Company of Cleveland for the erection of a power house and machine shop at Hazelton.

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BAIRD—On Thursday, July 9, 1903, at 1:45 p. m., at Washington, Pa., GEORGE BAIRD, former teller of the Fort Pitt National bank, Pittsburgh.

Funeral services this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of his mother, No. 76 West Maiden street. Train leaves Baltimore & Ohio station at 1:05 p. m.

BOGGS—On Thursday, July 9, 1903, at 9:30 p. m., CORNELIA MILLER, wife of A. W. Boggs.

Funeral services at her late residence, 2804 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Elm Grove cemetery, near Wheeling, W. Va., on Monday at 2:30 p. m.

[Wheeling (W. Va.) papers please copy.]

DUNLAP—On Friday morning, July 10, 1903, at 2 o'clock, MARY J., wife of the late John Dunlap.

Funeral services at her late residence, Robinson street, above Fifth avenue, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

HOOVER—On Friday, July 10th, at 6 a. m., at her late residence, Battle Creek, Mich., MRS. SARAH A., widow of Joseph Hoover, in her 79th year.

(Harrisburg and Shippensburg papers copy.)

JAMES—On Thursday, July 9, 1903, at 9:45 p. m., SUSIE HUTCHINSON, wife of Clarence S. James, at the residence of her father, William H. Hutchinson, 409 Federal street extension, Allegheny.

Funeral services at her father's home, Saturday, July 11, at 4 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited. Interment private.

KERR—On Thursday, July 9, 1903, at 1 a. m., SARAH, widow of Thomas Kerr, in the 83d year of her age.

Funeral services at her late residence, corner Lang and Penn avenues, on Saturday at 10 a. m.

LOVE—At the residence of his brother, George M. Love, 1728 Market street, Allegheny, at 9:45 p. m., July 9, 1903, ROBERT LOVE, aged 59 years.

MULHOLLAND—On Friday, July 10, 1903, at 6 a. m., NELLIE MULHOLLAND (nee Edgar), beloved wife of Stewart Mulholland, aged 21 years and 2 months.

Funeral Monday at 2 p. m. from No. 181 Isabella avenue, Allegheny. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'COY—At Bessemer, Ala., on Friday, July 10, 1903, JOHN A. M'COY, husband of Mary McDonald McCoy, formerly of Pittsburgh, Pa., aged 56 years.

Notice of funeral later.

[East Liverpool (O.) papers please copy.]

SULLIVAN—On Friday, July 10, 1903, at 12:35 a. m., VELELIAH VIRGINIA SULLIVAN, ager 38 years.

Funeral services this morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of her sister, Mrs. John Gross, No. 1202 Rebecca place, Allegheny. Interment at Yellow Creek cemetery, Bedford county, Pa., on Sunday afternoon.

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Seashore Limited, daily, for Philadelphia and New York	1:30 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily	3:00 a. m.
Pennsylvania Limited, daily	7:15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily	7:15 a. m.
Day Express, daily	7:30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily	8:00 a. m.
Harrisburg Mail, daily	12:45 p. m.
"Cresson and Ebensburg Special," Saturdays only	2:40 p. m.
Harrisburg Express, daily	4:40 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily	4:50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily	7:10 p. m.
Fast Line, daily	9:00 p. m.
"Pittsburgh Limited," daily, for New York only	10:00 p. m.
Second "Pittsburgh Limited," daily. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.	
No coaches	10:00 p. m.
Philadelphia Mail, Sundays only	8:30 a. m.
For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. daily.	
For Oil City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 and 11:00 p. m week days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 5:05 and 11:00 p. m.	
For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 11 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week-days.	
For DuBois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.	
For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all rail route), 8:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days, 10:00 p. m. daily, with through sleeping car. For Cape May, 10:00 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited" and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days.	
For Asbury Park, Ocean Grove and Long Branch, 7:15 a. m., "Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited" week-days, 9:00 p. m. daily.	
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:00, 8:25 a. m., 12:30 and 4:25 p. m. week-days.	
For West Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:35 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, East Elizabeth, Monongahela City, Belle Vernon and West Brownsville, 8:25, 8:20, 10:35 a. m., 1:05, 3:35, 4:20, 6:25 (5 Monongahela City), 6:40 and 11:30 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.	

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BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)
Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.:

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom	* 6:30 am	* 9:25 pm
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas.	† 6:30 am	† 7:45 pm
Wash., Bal. & N. York	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Conn'v., Un'tn & Fairm't	8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1:00 pm	* 2:40 pm
Day Express, daily	* 7:30 a. m.	* 5:05 am
Main Line Express, daily	8:00 a. m.	10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas't.	† 1:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
Connellsville Accom	† 4:05 pm	† 5:05 pm
Morgantown Clarksburg and Weston	† 5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia and New York (Duquesne Limd).	* 6:30 pm	* 9:15 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila	* 9:00 pm	* 7:00 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7:00 am	*10:35 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:30 am	* 7:45 am
Wng., Zanesv. & Col. Ac.	* 1:05 pm	* 4:05 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel'g	* 4:30 pm	* 6:40 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wh'l'g Ac.	* 5:35 pm	* 9:45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:00 pm	* 7:55 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Youngst.	* 7:50 am	* 8:13 am
Chicago and Cleveland	* 3:00 pm	*12:35 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:05 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler	† 7:30 am	† 7:55 am
Butler, Foxburg	† 8:15 am	† 6:10 pm
Butler, Con'ut Lake, Erie	† 8:15 am	† 6:35 pm
Butler	† 2:10 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler, Con'ut Lake, Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenv.	† 3:00 pm	†10:25 am
Ellwood, New Castle	† 3:00 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler	† 6:15 pm	† 8:10 pm
Ellwood, New Castle and Foxburg	† 6:15 pm	† 2:40 am
Butler	†11:30 pm	† 7:20 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.
CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in effect June 14, 1903.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chi. & Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 5:30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve'd Mail	* 8:25 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	† 8:25 am	† 7:10 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Express	* 12:30 pm	* 9:35 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	† 5:00 pm	† 9:45 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	*12:30 pm
Boston Special	* 5:00 pm	* 3:30 am
Cleve'd & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6:00 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Accommoda'n	† 5:25 am	† 9:10 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 7:30 am	† 5:35 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 9:00 am	† 9:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom.	†12:10 pm	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 3:30 pm	†12:30 pm
New Castle Express	* 4:20 pm	† 7:30 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 5:25 pm	† 6:30 am

Fayette City Accom	† 6:10 am	† 7:20 am
Fayette C. & N. Haven Ex.	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City	†11:30 am	†12:40 pm
Fayette City & New Haven	† 3:30 pm	† 4:50 pm
Fayette City & New Haven	† 5:20 pm	† 5:40 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, 8:25 a. m., †10:15 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.
‡Note—9:00 p. m. train on Sundays to Youngstown only.

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RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.
By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis	* 1.10 am	* 1.45 am
Chicago, Cleveland and Toledo	* 8.35 am	*12.00 m't
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	* 4.50 am	* 6.00 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.60 am	* 8.40 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 6.50 am	* 2.20 pm
Wellsville and Chester	† 8.10 am	† 8.55 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 5.10 am	† 1.35 pm
Alliance and Wooster	† 6.15 am	† 3.55 pm
Hanesboro and Youngstown	* 6.30 am	* 1.25 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 6.45 am	* 8.80 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7.00 am	* 4.50 pm
Tiffin and Toledo	* 7.00 am	* 8.50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 7.40 am	* 4.55 pm
The Forest City Special	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Erie, Mercer and Oil City	† 8.05 am	†10.55 am
New Castle and Jamestown	† 8.05 am	† 2.20 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8.05 am	†10.55 am
Columbus and Chicago	*12.25 pm	* 2.00 pm
Youngstown and Jamestown	†12.35 pm	† 7.20 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	*12.35 pm	† 8.80 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1.25 pm	† 7.25 pm
Alliance and Crestline	† 4.35 pm	† 8.50 pm
New Castle and Lisbon	† 4.35 pm	† 8.50 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 4.35 pm	* 8.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 4.35 pm	† 8.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4.40 pm	* 8.40 am
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.20 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 5.00 pm	* 9.10 pm
New Castle and Jamestown	† 5.25 pm	† 9.05 am
The Chicago Special	* 6.30 pm	* 7.45 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.35 pm	* 6.20 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.10 pm	* 6.00 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.10 pm	* 6.00 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.15 pm	* 6.20 am
The Chicago Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 8.20 pm	* 6.55 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	†10.20 pm	† 5.30 am
Alliance and Cleveland	*11.00 pm	* 5.40 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., *6.00 am, 27.30 am, *8.00 am, *8.30 am, *9.30 am, 10.10 pm, 24.10 pm, 10.15 pm, 12.30 pm, 16.20 pm, *12.30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, 16.45 am, *8.30 am, *11.30 am, *2.30 pm, *6.30 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 am, 16.20 am, 12.30 pm, 14.22 pm, *10.35 pm, 11.35 am.

Leave Lisbon, *5.40 am, 12.30 pm, *2.30 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, *3.35 pm.

*Every day. †Week

MEETING OF BOARD MAY END IN COURT

Allegheny School Controllers Are Undecided in Matter of Choosing Text-Books.

JUNE MEETING WAS IRREGULAR

Agents for Book Concerns Get Into Hot Arguments With President David B. Oliver and Supt. John Morrow—Attorney Scandrett Threatens Suits.

Book agents in large numbers attended the meeting of the Allegheny board of school controllers called by President David B. Oliver last night for the purpose of deciding what new books should be introduced into the public schools at the coming term.

The meeting itself was uneventful, but a clash between some book agents and Mr. Oliver and Prof. John Morrow in an anteroom after the meeting was over furnished some excitement. Mr. Oliver remarked in no low tone of voice that bribery and other undue influences had been used by the book agents who were endeavoring to have their books adopted by the board of control. This was resented and the agents were enraged when Mr. Oliver told them that he did not know them and did not care to have any argument with them.

Prof. John Morrow was drawn into the dispute, and when he declared that he would not argue with agents, he was told by one of the disappointed ones that he had not brains enough to argue.

Threatened an Injunction.

Attorney Richard Scandrett, who was representing Ginn & Co., threatened after the meeting to go into court and have an injunction issued restraining the board from purchasing any books but those decided upon at the June meeting of the board of school controllers. At this meeting Ginn & Co. got two contracts, but at the meeting last night President Oliver decided that as the June meeting was irregular, the books adopted could not be purchased and declared that the books now in use should remain.

At the June meeting, Mr. Oliver asserted, the question of adopting the report of the text book committee had not been put, and, that because of this, the proceedings had been irregular. Among the books suggested by the text book committee were Cyr's reader and Mother's Tongue grammar, both published by Ginn & Co., and Ward's reader, published by another concern. It was of the first two books that Attorney Scandrett said he would go into court.

An effort was made to put a motion adopting the Ward primer, but this failed, as did a motion authorizing the president and secretary to proceed and order the books according to the action of the June meeting. Mr. Oliver refused to entertain this motion, as he said it would be compelling the president and secretary to commit an unlawful act. Mr. Oliver explained, in answer to a question, that in the event of the board's failing to adopt a new course of text books during the time preceding the opening of the coming term, the old books would still be in force. The meeting was then adjourned.

Dispute Grew Lively.

In the office of Secretary Gerwig Attorney Scandrett asked President Oliver what he intended to do in the matter of purchasing books.

"That is none of your business," was the answer.

Mr. Scandrett replied by denouncing the American Book Company, and Mr. Oliver declared he knew no book companies. "But I do know vampires have been among us; vampires that have lied, bribed and misrepresented and used politics in their efforts."

It was at this juncture that the agents got indignant, and said Mr. Oliver was hurting their reputations and professions.

Agent Thornhurst of Ginn & Co. said he had heard that Prof. Morrow was going to throw him out of his office if he entered it.

"And I will," said Prof. Morrow. "I have been grossly misrepresented by agents and would not tolerate your presence in my office."

Thornhurst declared that Superintendent Morrow might have some difficulty to remove him from the office, and while talking was hustled out by Attorney Scandrett, and the gathering dispersed.

BLOOD AND LANGUAGE RECOGNIZED IN LONDON

Lord Mayor Entertains American Sailors and Toasts President Roosevelt.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, July 10.—Lord Mayor Samuel gave a luncheon at the Mansion house here today in honor of Rear Admiral Cotton and the other officers of the United States European squadron. After toasts to King Edward and President Roosevelt had been received with enthusiasm the lord mayor proposed the health of "Admiral Cotton, his officers, and the entire American navy."

"Gentlemen," said the lord mayor, "in the course of my term of office it is my duty to entertain many people; but I wish to tell you that this luncheon was not officially inspired. I could not let the American squadron go without showing them and, I hope, all the people of America, that ties of race, blood and language are recognized here, in the city of London, more warmly than in any other part of the world."

Admiral Cotton made a graceful acknowledgement of the kindly welcome that the Americans had received.

Ambassador Choate, in toasting the lord mayor, said he hoped the Americans would realize the great honor which was paid them in being entertained in this historic room. Alluding to the United States navy, Mr. Choate said it was growing, thanks to the enthusiasm of its commander-in-chief, President Roosevelt.

The luncheon was a brilliant affair, accompanied by all the picturesque city ceremonies, while the speeches were made the occasion for an Anglo-American love feast. After the luncheon the naval officers proceeded to the armory of the Honorable artillery company, who were reviewed by King Edward.

Troubles About Labor Day Parade.

The general committee of the Labor day celebration, which takes place September 7, met last night to hear reports. Several of the labor men object to Schenley park being the place for the review of the parade. Other members are in favor of holding a picnic at some near-by pleasure resort. Some labor organizations voted to take no part in the parade if Schenley park is selected for review. On Friday night the election of chief marshal will take place.

Bank Officers Elected.

The board of directors of the Homestead Savings & Trust Company, which was recently organized with a capital stock of $125,000, last evening elected officers as follows: President, Louis Rott; first vice president, George Aull; second vice president, Peter Fay; secretary-treasurer, J. L. Neelan; teller, John A. [illegible]ary, and solicitor, L. L. Davis, all Homestead. The bank is located in [illegible] avenue, Homestead.

WHISKEY, EGGS AND MILK KILLED DAVIS

Noel Caspar Grasped Live Wire and Died—Other Morgue Cases.

William Davis, aged 59 years, a brakeman on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, died at his home in McKays row, Stowe township, early yesterday morning of chronic alcoholism. Mrs. Mary Davis, his wife, stated to the coroner that for the last several months he had lived on nothing but a quart of whisky a day, hard-boiled eggs and some milk. Before retiring on Thursday night he drank a large jelly glassful of whisky. He was found dead in his bed at 5 o'clock.

Noel Caspar, shipping clerk for the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, was killed at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the cellar of the building occupied by the company at Wood street and Second avenue by coming in contact with a live wire. His death was instantaneous, but was not discovered until two hours after the accident occurred. Caspar was 32 years old and single. His home was at No. 5 Irwin place, Bellevue. His brother, Charles J. Caspar, is manager for the company.

David S. Matthews was killed early yesterday morning at the freight siding of the Westinghouse Electric Company's works at East Pittsburgh. He was 42 years old and is survived by a widow and six children in Oak Hill. His mother, two brothers and three sisters are also living.

Michael Cadlusky, a laborer at the Maloney scrap iron works, Thirty-first street and Allegheny Valley railroad, was killed while at work yesterday morning by being struck on the head by a piece of pipe in an explosion. Archibald Lasper, with whom Cadlusky was working, was also struck and injured. Cadlusky was 45 years old and lived with his wife and children in Brereton avenue, Lawrenceville.

Barney Rodan, aged 17, of No. 2207 Webster avenue, will be buried from his home this morning in Calvary cemetery. He was killed at Thomaston, Me., last Monday while in the employ of the Walter L. Main circus by being knocked off the circus train by an overhead bridge. Rodan had joined the circus a few months ago. He was a brother of John Rodan of the United States navy, said to be the only resident of Pittsburgh who was with Dewey at the battle of Manila. He had been telegraphed to about his brother's death, but he sailed from Boston yesterday.

TRIED TO EAT A RAT.

Starved Child Became Desperate. Mother Arrested.

Mrs. John Drew of East street, Allegheny, is in the county jail and her husband is being sought by the police, both charged with neglecting their 4-year-old daughter. The girl is said to have been starved by her parents and yesterday went out into the street, picked up a dead rat and began to eat it.

Information was made against them by C. E. McPherson of the Western Pennsylvania Humane society before Alderman A. J. Brinker of Allegheny. The man and his wife are apparently well to do, as Mrs. Drew was quite stylishly dressed when committed to jail yesterday. It is not known what business her husband is in nor where he is. An urgent search is being made for him and if found he will be arrested at once.

Excursion to Cumberland Tomorrow, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves Smithfield and Water street station, Pittsburgh, at 7 a. m. $2 for round trip.

EXCURSION TO WHEELING TOMORROW, Via B. & O. R. R. $1.50 Round Trip.

Special train leaves Pittsburgh 8:40 a. m.

FROHSINN SINGING SOCIETY WON SPECIAL HONOR DIPLOMA

The Frohisnn Singing society of this city brought back a fine prize from Baltimore where it participated in the Twentieth National saengerfest given last month by the Northeastern Singing Societies of America. The local singers won a third prize in that big musical event, and for their excellence were awarded a special honor diploma.

The seal of the national society adorns the scroll which is executed with rare skill by Henninger, a celebrated German artist of New York. In German lettering is the usual text awarding the prize and below is attached the signatures of the national officers and the saengerfest committee. The diploma is on exhibition in the show windows of Wunderly's art store in Sixth avenue and has attracted much attention.

FEMALE ENOCH ARDEN.

Woman Returns After Many Years and Finds Husband Living With Third Wife.

ROCKFORD, ILL., July 10.—Twenty-one years ago Mrs. Louise Olson was injured in a railroad wreck near Buffalo. She was taken to a hospital. On recovering her mind was not clear, and she wandered to France. Another victim of the wreck died, in the hospital, and by mistake, was buried as Mrs. Olson.

When Mrs. Olson returned to Rockford today, she found the two babies she had left full grown and surprised beyond measure at her return. Alexander Olson, her husband, is living with his third wife, the second Mrs. Olson, whom he married fully believing in his first wife's death, having died some years ago. Mr. Olson fully identified the returned one as his first wife. The latter will recognize the rights of the third wife, and will live with her two children.

7,518 Belong to Smart Set.

NEW YORK, July 10.—(Special.)—The latest edition of the social register gives the names of the smart set in alphabetical order. Of the 7,518 families in this category, 159 are cruising in their yachts.

TODAY.

Erie—$8 00. Conneaut Lake—$2 50
North East—$2 25. Ashtabula—$2 50.
Round Trip Via Pennsylvania Lines.

Tickets on sale at Pittsburgh, Allegheny, Sewickley, Rochester, Beaver, New Brighton, Beaver Falls and New Castle for Saturday trains, good returning until Monday.

DUPED DETECTIVE SHOT ASSAILANT

While Investigating a Mythical Robbery Harry Jones Was Attacked.

Detective Harry Jones of the Pittsburgh detective bureau shot and badly injured Lewis McLaughlin, aged 23 years, of No. 1307 Ann street, at First avenue and Cherry alley last night. The shooting was the result of duping the detective into investigating an alleged robbery and a subsequent attack on him by McLaughlin.

Shortly after 8 o'clock last night Mrs. Mary McLaughlin of No. 8 Grant street called at the detective bureau and stated that she had been robbed of $118 and two valuable diamond rings. Detective Jones was detailed to investigate the case. He went to Mrs. McLaughlin's home in Grant street with her.

The woman, who is about 25 years old, explained before several persons in the house the method which the alleged burglar employed. Then she whispered to Jones that she had something more to tell him, but could not before all those present. She asked him to walk down to First avenue and Cherry alley, saying she would meet him there and tell him the balance. Jones went to the corner and was joined by the woman.

While they were talking a man rushed up, called Jones a vile name and struck him in the face. The unexpected blow staggered Jones, and then he received another one. He at once pulled his revolver and shot his assailant in the right leg above the knee. The man was taken to the Homeopathic hospital.

It developed later that the man was Mrs. McLaughlin's husband, but he had not been living with her for a month, having resided in Ann street with his mother. The cause of the attack is not known, but Detective Jones will swear information against McLaughlin this morning charging him with assault and battery.

Molders Voted on Strike Question.

About 1,500 molders, members of the four locals of the Pittsburgh district, held a meeting in old city hall last night to take a secret ballot on the question whether or to strike. The men voted several days ago not to accept the offer of the manufacturers, and before the executive board would sanction a strike the men had to take a secret ballot. The executive board will meet in Cincinnati next Monday, when the result of last night's ballot will be made known. It is said the result of the vote was in favor of striking.

Borough After the Hucksters.

Hereafter all hucksters wishing to sell goods in East Pittsburgh will first have to submit to an inspection of their wares by the health officer of the borough. At a meeting of the board of health of the borough last night this action was decided upon as a means of preventing disease being spread in the town through unwholesome vegetables and fruit being sold from wagons and carts in the public thoroughfares.

Mrs. Blaine Sinking Rapidly.

AUGUSTA, ME., July 10.—Mrs. James G. Blaine's physician reported tonight that she was rapidly failing, although it is impossible to predict when the end would come.

THE DEATH ROLL

Mrs. Mary Jane Dunlap.

Mrs. Mary Jane Dunlap, 73 years old, widow of John Dunlap, died at the Dunlap homestead, Robinson and Terrace streets, Oakland, early yesterday morning, after an illness of several years. Mrs. Dunlap's maiden name was Mary Jane Duncan. She was born in Poland, O., October 12, 1830. She lived there until her marriage to Mr. Dunlap, who died 12 years ago. Shortly after their marriage they moved to Pittsburgh about 50 years ago. Mr. Dunlap bought up a large part of what is now Oakland and erected the home known as the Dunlap homestead, and the first house built in that district. Mr. Dunlap was the first manufacturer of tinware west of the Alleghany mountains and was a large importer of tin plate. He formed the firm of the John Dunlap Company, which is still conducted by his sons. Mrs. Dunlap was a member of the Bellefield Presbyterian church. Up to a short time ago she took an active part in church matters, being interested in home and foreign missions. She was also vice president of the Western Pennsylvania Humane society. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Reed, widow of Nelson P. Reed, formerly chief owner of the Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette, and Mrs. James H. Gray; two sons, William A. and John H. Dunlap, of the firm of the John Dunlap Company, all of Pittsburgh, and two brothers, A. J. Duncan of Cleveland, O., state examiner of banks of Ohio and a brother-in-law of the late President William McKinley, and Dr. Wallace P. Duncan of Effingham, Ill. The funeral will be held from the family residence tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Rev. S. Edward Young, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, will conduct the services.

James H. McLure.

James H. McLure died at 11 o'clock last night of a complication of diseases at his home, No. 518 Water street, McKeesport, in his 83d year. He had been failing a long time and had been blind for a month. He is survived by a widow, one son and one daughter, at home. He was born in Butler county, near Whitestown, and married and removed to McKeesport at an early age. He settled in Reynoldton, which is now the Tenth ward of McKeesport. He learned the trade of a ship carpenter in his youth, and perfected it at Elizabeth marine ways, Elizabeth, Pa. He was one of the pioneer boat builders of the Monongahela river. In 1865 he went to McKeesport. His first entry into politics was his election as school tax collector. For 10 years he was city assessor. He was in the McKeesport common council and served two successful terms as burgess. He was defeated for re-election the third time he ran, and had he been successful he would have become the first mayor of McKeesport. He was a member of the First Methodist Episcopal church. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon. Services will be conducted by the Rev. J. W. Miles, D. D. The interment will be private.

Mrs. Mary A. W. Golden.

Mrs. Mary A. Wivell Golden of Taneytown, Md., mother of Attorney William A. Golden of Pittsburgh, Congressman Joseph A. Golden of New York city and Jerome I. Golden, chief foreman of the Homestead steel works of the Carnegie Steel Company, died Thursday night at her home. Mrs. Golden was in her eighty-sixth year, and a descendant of one of the oldest Maryland families which traces its connection to the founding of the state. She had recently been visited by all of her sons and a family reunion was to have been arranged, but is prevented by her sudden death. Mrs. Golden will be interred today at Taneytown.

William P. Leech.

Ex-Sheriff William P. Leech of Greenville, Pa., died at his home yesterday. Mr. Leech was a prominent Republican and held many offices. In 1860 he was elected sheriff, and upon the completion of his term he was made jury commissioner. He served several terms as burgess, councilman and school director. The following children survive: Lester D. and Sarah of Greenville and Elizabeth, wife of Leander Ormsby of Fremont, Neb.

Obituary Notes.

Calvin Mounts died at his home near West Alexander, Pa., yesterday, aged 48. He was a director in the West Alexander Farmers' Fair association and prominent in agricultural circles. Besides his widow he is survived by four children, Lillian, George, Lloyd and Earl, all at home.

Lightning Strikes Oil Tanks.

OIL CITY, PA., July 10.—(Special.)—During a short but severe electrical storm that passed over this section today lightning struck a 4,000-barrel tank of crude oil belonging to the Independent Refining Company. The tank is equipped with an air tight cap and the flames were smothered. A few minutes later another bolt struck a tank containing 2,000 barrels of export distillate. The tank and its contents were consumed. The fire communicated to a third tank containing 500 barrels of benzine, but was extinguished. The total loss is about $15,000 covered by insurance.

BEAUTY
Treatment.

The woman who desires a perfect complexion and a shapely figure will obtain great benefit from a daily diet of Wheat Meat. Where regular treatments of massage and physical culture are employed a Wheat Meat diet is necessary to success, but the woman who has no time or inclination for calisthenics will find an unconscious beauty treatment in every meal of Wheat Meat, the food that nature intended for women to eat. The oiliness that shows on the face of the eater of careless foods has no place with the Wheat Meat user. Wheat Meat is cooked just right—it tastes just right—no cooking—no trouble—just add cream and eat. Fifteen cents a package at grocers.

Lace Curtain Bargains

All this week—
Also some special offerings in Portieres, Couch throws and thin Curtains—

Oliver McClintock Co.
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Don't Be So Hot

Have Dickson make you a thin, cool serge or outing suit and be comfortable. Perfect fit and style—low prices.

Dickson, The Tailor,
420 Wood Street.

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FOR THE TEETH AND BREATH

$30 Colorado and Return

Daily, until September 30, the Burlington will sell tickets from Chicago to Denver, Colorado Springs or Pueblo, and return, at the very low rate of $30. These tickets are good returning until October 31. They are accepted on the "Burlington's Number One," the famous train leaving Chicago at 5.00 p. m., and arriving Denver 6.50 p. m. the day following.

The cost of tickets from St. Louis is $25, and they are good on the Burlington's Limited, leaving 2.15 p. m. and arriving Denver 3.15 p. m. the following day.

Every day until September 30, a Pullman tourist sleeping car will leave Chicago for Denver on Train No. 3, at 10.30 p. m. The cost of a double berth, comfortably holding two persons, between these points is only $2.50. Experienced travelers know that tourist sleepers, with their rattan seats, are much more comfortable for summer travel than the heavily upholstered palace cars. Of course we run the standard palace sleeping cars also.

If you want to know where to stay after you reach Colorado, send for a free copy of our Handbook. It tells where more than 200 hotels, boarding houses and ranches are located; how you can get there; what it will cost you to stay there by the week or month; what there is to do and see, and the name and address of the proprietor.

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703 Park Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa.
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$365.00 KIMBALL PIANOS

HIGH-GRADE Gold-Filled WATCHES

ENAMELED EIGHT-DAY MANTEL CLOCKS and other special premiums.

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Malta-Vita

The delicious malted, flaked, cooked, and toasted, whole wheat food, purest and most nutritious, always ready to serve. We guarantee every package of MALTA-VITA to be absolutely pure, wholesome food, not flavored or tinctured in any way, containing nothing but the whole wheat and scientifically treated with diastase of malt by our patented process. Insist on having MALTA-VITA, the original flaked wheat food.

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OF PITTSBURGH

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Loans Made on Improved Real Estate and Listed Collaterals.

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Your Store Closes at 5 o'Clock Every Day During July and August

Initial Sale Opened Thursday Morning and Closes at 5 o'Clock Today

HORNE-STEWART Co
DRY GOODS
Saturday 11 July 1903

"GREAT SALE

enthusiasm" we believe is the proper advertising expression and your store might use it without stretching the truth.

The last day of the Stock Reduction Sale will open, continue and close with the same enthusiasm on our part that characterized the first two days and you will find much of profit in Odds and Ends and Broken Lines.

ODDS AND ENDS

Womens Skirts and Suits.
Young Girls Suits and Skirts
Undermuslins
Childrens Dresses
Hosiery and Underwear.
Marvels in Millinery.
Little for Linens
Lots of Laces

BROKEN LINES

Mens and Boys Clothing Cut to Clear Broken Lines.

SPECIAL SATURDAY

Mens Shirt Waists.....1.48
Mens Net Shirts.....40

REMNANTS

Remnant Sales breed remnants and those you have carried away are replaced by remnants made by the choosing of others out new things forced into the whirl of the selling.

Remnants of Dress Goods

All Colored Dress Goods Remnants at one-half and one-third off the regular price. You will find lengths from 1½ to 8-yard, Waists, Skirt and Full Dress Patterns and plenty in Challis, Albatross, Nuns Veiling, Batiste, Henrietta, Mohair, Sicilians, Voiles, Etamines, Twines, Crepes, Whipcords, Prunella, Granite, Melrose, Crepella, Coverts, Venetians, Broadcloths, Cheviots, Kersey, Meltons and all kinds of Novelties.

Black Dress Goods Remnants at ⅓, ⅓ and ¼ off regular prices. A large number of remnants of Black Dress Goods in suit-lengths, skirt-lengths and waist or jacket-lengths, in Broadcloths, Venetians, Cheviots, Serges, Mohairs, Sicilians, Voiles, Etamines and other new and fancy weaves.

Remnants of Silks

Foulards for shirtwaists, skirts and suits at half price, and some less.

Taffetas, black and colored, for waists, lining trimming, suits and skirts, at half and some less.

Pongees in plain and fancy for waists, skirts and suits, at half price.

Remnants of Wash Goods

One Half Price. Remnants of wash goods in lengths from 2 to 10 yards all to sell for half and less than half the marked remnant price—note, not marked price but marked remnant price.

Shop by Mail — 233-235 FIFTH AVENUE — Buy by Phone

ARMY AND NAVY TO WORK IN HARMONY

Secretaries Root and Moody Arrange for Joint General Staff.

DEWEY AND YOUNG AT TOP

Will Work Together on Defensive Plans Where Joint Operations of Land and Water Forces Are Contemplated. Disposition of Arsenal Site.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10.

Important plans were completed today by Secretaries Root and Moody for the establishment of a joint army and navy board which will co-operate in the event of war or for defensive purposes whenever both navy and army are jointly concerned in operations. Secretary Root completed the appointments for the personnel of the board today, but they will not be announced until tomorrow. It is practically decided, however, that Admiral Dewey will be head of the naval board and Gen. Young the army board.

Secretary Root and Secretary Moody were in a prolonged conference this afternoon in order to finally determine the personnel of the joint board. The joint board will not alone have authority over naval and army operations in the event of any hostilities, but will also consider academic questions affecting coast defense, protection of naval stations and will most likely execute and consider plans for the new naval stations in Cuba.

When the general staff of the army begins its work, August 15, among the first business that will come before it will be several matters that are of special interest to Pittsburgh and Pennsylvania. One of these is the question whether the old arsenal property shall be utilized by the war department as a store house for supplies.

Another is the question of location of permanent camp grounds where the regular troops and the national guard may camp and maneuver together. Another matter which will not come before the general staff, but which will be affected by the decision of the general staff, is a site for the marine hospital for Pittsburgh.

Last year a general board of the war department was convened to pass upon the question of using the arsenal property for a store house and the permanent camp site in Pennsylvania. The decision of the board was that Pittsburgh was well suited as a place for keeping war department stores and that the arsenal property was adapted for this purpose. As to a permanent camp site, the Mt. Gretna grounds were recommended.

It is now stated at the war department that the matter of utilizing the arsenal for a store house has not been abandoned and is quite likely to be adopted. If it is another site for the marine hospital will probably have to be found.

W. A. Scott of Pittsburgh has offered the government a large tract of ground in Somerset county upon which Capt. Sibert has given a favorable report. At the last congress Senator Quay introduced a bill providing for the purchase of this ground as a camp site, but the bill died in committee. L. W. STRAYER.

J. P. MORGAN CALLS FOR ANOTHER $5,000,000

NEW YORK, July 10.—(Special.)—The call of J. P. Morgan & Co. for the remaining installment of 10 per cent or $5,000,000 of the $50,000,000 subscribed by the International Mercantile Marine underwriting syndicate, to be paid in not later than July 31, attracted a good deal of attention today. The preferred stock declined to a new low level, touching 19¾, as against 20, the previous low figure. It is understood that a considerable part of the new capital is needed to pay for new steamships in course of construction.

RAILROADERS' WAGES ARE AGAIN ATTACHED

ALTOONA, PA., July 10.—It was announced today at the Pennsylvania railroad offices here that 700 wage attachments had been received from Missouri against the company employes.

These cases were originally sued out by W. W. Rogers in West Virginia, but he assigned his claims to C. N. Dartt of Independence, Mo. Dartt now ties up the second month's wages for the same debt. The amount involved will approximate $100,000.

NEW YORK WILL HAVE CONSUMPTION SANITARIUM

NEW YORK, July 10.—(Special.)—It has been practically decided that the city is to establish a sanitarium for treatment of cases of tuberculosis. It is quite probable that the sanitarium will be located on the high land back from the river in either Orange or Rockland counties. The new institution will be made an adjunct of the department of charities.

Shot Two Merchants.

MASON CITY, ILL., July 10. Julius Frank and Irving Rosenfield, prominent merchants of this city, were shot and fatally wounded in their store this morning. The shots were fired by Edward Barton of Springfield, said to be a race track follower. He was arrested and taken aboard a train for Havana, the county seat, just in time to escape a mob which was being organized. Barton is said to have fired without any provocation.

Tried to Stop a Hanging.

LINCOLN, NEB., July 10.— The hanging of William Rhea was postponed 30 minutes today, pending a decision of the supreme court on an application for an injunction to prevent the hanging. The action was brought in the view of the reprieve granted Rhea by former Governor Savage. The reprieve imposed "hard labor." The attorneys argued that this imposition nullified the sentence for hanging.

DAYLIGHT STEAMER TO DETROIT.

Special Arrangement for Excursionists Via Pennsylvania Lines to Epworth League Convention.

Epworth Leaguers, friends and all persons wishing to make an enjoyable trip to Michigan will be offered special train service from Pittsburgh via Pennsylvania lines to Cleveland in connection with daylight steamer from Cleveland to Detroit on Wednesday, July 15. On that date special train will leave Pittsburgh Union station at 7:45 a. m. and Allegheny at 7:55 a. m. (city time), and make a fast run to Cleveland, taking excursionists direct to the steamer dock, avoiding transfer or delay. Steamer will leave Cleveland immediately after arrival of the special train and make the trip across the lake to Detroit by daylight, reaching that city at 6 p. m. Round trip fare, $8.30. Return limit on tickets may be extended to August 15, giving purchasers a full month for taking in the convention at Detroit and enjoying an outing at the delightful resorts in Michigan.

Bank Has Removed.

The United States National bank is doing business now in its new building, 506 Market street, one door from Fifth avenue.

Best values in all kinds of Furniture.

McELVEEN'S

(McElveen Furniture Co.)

525-527-529 Penn Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Come out before the great event occurs. We know that the weather is hot, but what does it matter if you get cooked a little so long as you make more money than was ever possible before?

DON'T WAIT FOR SALE...SATURDAY, JULY 18th,

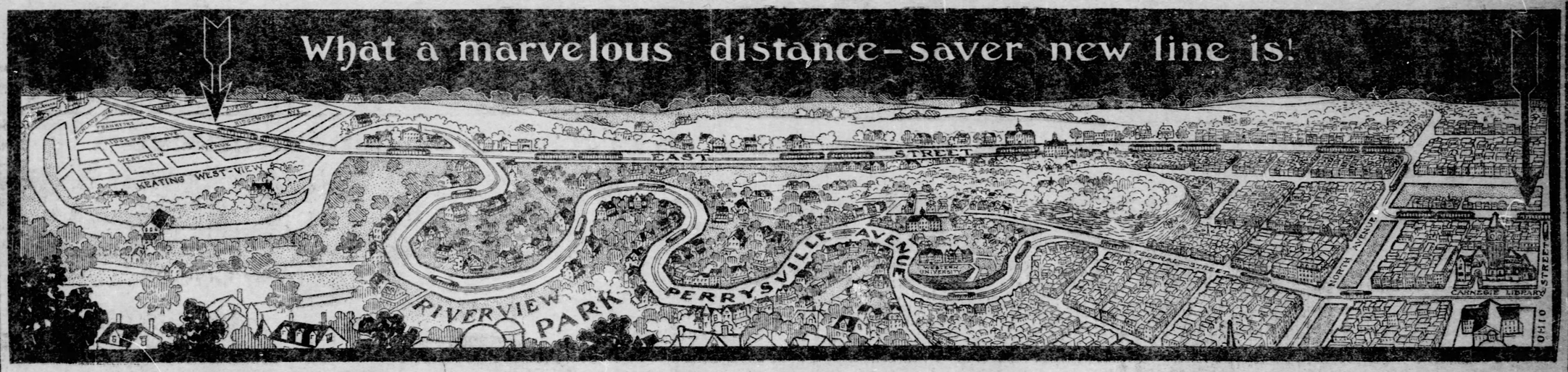
Our Remarkable Proposition Introduces the Grand New T-Railed, Double-Tracked Perrysville District, Just Beyond the Allegheny City Limits, Opposite the Beautiful Recently Macadamized Ben Avon or County Boulevard, at

KEATING WEST-VIEW

The wonderful new manifold-motor traction cars run through the very center of the Plan. There is city water, both gases and electric lights. The streets are being piped for water, graded, sewered, paved and supplied with double-width sidewalks.

Fifty salesmen will go on the property at once to explain the giant plan of city improvements which are being made. Great armies of sight-seers who have been streaming out to the property for weeks and weeks wondering what the hundreds of teams, steam shovels and men are doing, will now be given the whole story of the matchless project. They will learn that traction-engineering unapproached in its masterful achievements brings three miles nearer to Pittsburgh, or within 25 minutes of Smithfield Street, a transformation undreamed of six months ago. They will realize that they are looking at the highest, finest and only level tract of highland left that is large enough or picturesque enough to interest the same class of people that built up Squirrel Hill and the East Liberty districts.

No pieces of the property have been reserved. Every lot is as good as gold and will not linger. Sensational prices and our NOVEL FREE BOND GIFT, explained in another part of this announcement, won't give intending purchasers much time to think the matter over.



THE GRAND NEW MANIFOLD-MOTOR TRACTION ROAD

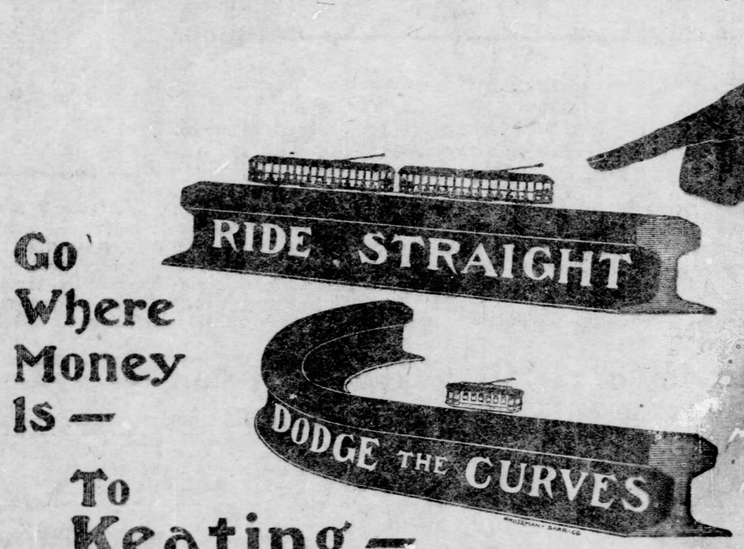
now being constructed from the city to all points in this district, and at present completed as far as Keating West-View, puts the property ten minutes nearer to downtown Pittsburgh than any of the really fine East End residential districts. The road will be operated upon the greatest speed-giving system known to traction practice. The line continues up East street extension, which is as broad as that part of Liberty avenue lying in the business section of Pittsburgh.

Fifty per cent of the entire length of the route is virtually without curves or crossings, making it possible to attain a high rate of speed without endangering lives.

At the north end of East street, at Jake Borne's Hotel, this new fast line connects with the Riverview Park cars on Perrysville avenue, and after passing the Allegheny City limits, branches off on private rights-of-way; laid with double tracks and heavy T-rails, insuring smooth riding and making jars and jolts next to impossible. The unobstructed route up East street and the private right-of-way cut off three miles' distance. This enables the line to make the run to Keating West-View from the corner of Sixth Avenue and Smithfield street in twenty-five minutes. If the run had to be made up Federal street and out Perrysville avenue, a time schedule of forty-five minutes would be required.

The new railway by going up East street instead of up Perrysville avenue, escapes a large number of long bends which would cause a great loss of time, and by going on a bee-line over private rights-of-way instead of along the Perrysville plank-road, makes another remarkable reduction of distance and saving of time.

Some of the greatest engineering experts declare that the unequaled traction service which throws open the magnificent Perrysville section of country for residence building, will be attained on the finest roadbed and trestlework construction ever planned, and that spacious $6,000 palace cars may be operated on it with the same ease that small cars can be operated on the older lines.



Go Where Money Is — To Keating-West-View

SCIENTIFIC REASONS WHY PERRYSVILLE AIR WILL REMAIN

CLEAR AND PURE

A very important matter for investors to consider in contemplating a purchase in the wonderful Perrysville district is the absolute assurance of pure, clear air. Perrysville lies higher than any location this side of the Alleghany Mountains. It is much higher than Mt. Washington and the Highland Reservoir. It is the only locality situated up higher than the smoke and fog can go. The bituminous clouds from the mills and factories on the flatlands of the Ohio River may, in time, spread their wings over lower Bellevue and Avalon, like the smoke from the industries along the Monongahela River is now winding its way into choice sections of the beautiful East End and Squirrel Hill.

But scientific discovery protects Perrysville. The smoke clouds are too heavy to fly to her. They will sink with their own weight before they can reach the wave strata on a line with Perrysville's proud eminence. Even were it possible for them to reach these wave strata, they would not carry but drop and disintegrate, because the atmospheric body up this high is too light to support or float them.

When you take up all the merits of this grand district and look at them with impartial eyes, seeking only the facts as the facts actually exist, you will wonder why Squirrel Hill was built up and this superior territory slept. With all due regard for Squirrel Hill and the millionaires it has produced, one must confess that the palaces of today are not planted where the hand of nature meant them to stand.

Be one of the new 7,000 Bond holders-

At Perrysville

Purchasers of Keating West-View property will not only be able to buy wonderfully situated lots at

$50,	$75,	$100,
$125,	$150,	$175,
$200,	$250,	$300,
$350,	$400,	$450,

but they will be given

FREE WITH EACH LOT A PROVISIONAL TWO-YEAR PREMIUM BOND THAT MAY EARN THEM FIVE TO TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT.

These bonds are negotiable. You can sell or transfer them at once to any person. Under their provisions they become especially valuable to building contractors, and will often earn within four months anywhere from $12.50 to $100 or more. One of these bonds is presented to you as an absolute free gift with each lot that you buy, whether the lot is priced $50 or $500.

It will pay every frugal person to investigate this bond proposition. Without question it is the most liberal stroke of enterprise any real estate organization ever made. It is backed by virtually unlimited capital, and is proof positive that the capitalists who bought up this immense Perrysville acreage are determined to make it the finest residence place that modern ingenuity can possibly establish.

TAKE CARS AS FOLLOWS:

The new Perrysville cars to Keating West-View Plan of Lots start on Smithfield Street at Sixth Avenue. Some of the cars are marked PERRYSVILLE (not Perrysville Avenue) and others MADISON AVENUE & EAST STREET.

One of the palace cars is just finished and in operation to the property, but until all are finished the small coaches, or old MADISON AVENUE & EAST STREET cars, will be used.

You can catch the cars marked PERRYSVILLE (not Perrysville Avenue), or MADISON AVENUE & EAST STREET on Smithfield Street, between Sixth and Seventh Avenues, on Ninth Street, on Anderson Street in Allegheny, on Lacock Street, on Sandusky Street or on North Avenue.

People living on Perrysville Avenue car line, known as Riverview Park car line, can connect with the new PERRYSVILLE SHORT LINE at Jake Borne's hotel, corner Perrysville avenue and East Street.

TERMS ON LOTS:

5 per cent down; 2½ per cent per month for balance;
10 per cent discount for cash when paid within sixty days.

APPLY FOR FREE CAR TICKETS AND ANY FURTHER INFORMATION TO

FREEHOLD REAL ESTATE CO.,

334 FOURTH AVENUE, FIRST FLOOR, TIMES BUILDING, PITTSBURGH, PA.

Agent for Allegheny-Bellevue Land Co.

CRUBER ADMITS BIERER MURDER

Prisoner at Greensburg Confesses to Sheriff That He Killed Constable.

EXPECTS HE WILL BE HANGED

Says He Is Nervous and Wishes It Was All Over—Reward for Capture to Be Divided Between Four Men Who Effected Arrest.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

GREENSBURG, PA., July 10.—Charles Cruber, the alleged murderer of Constable Henry F. Bierer, occupies the cell in the county jail from which Vasil Leketch, who was hanged for the murder of Paymaster W. F. Hosler of the Hostetter-Connellsville Coke Company, walked to the scaffold two years ago. This afternoon he confessed to Sheriff John H. Trescher and Coroner C. A. Wynn that he had fired the shot that caused the death of Constable Bierer. The only reason that he would give for his crime was that he did not want to go to jail. He has refused counsel, saying that no attorneys could aid him. He expects to be hanged, and this afternoon said:

"The only thing I regret is that I cannot meet my end. I am nervous and wish it was all over."

When brought to the jail at 4 o'clock this morning he told of firing the shot that caused death. The trouble that was anticipated by the county officials in getting the prisoner to the jail did not materialize. Cruber was taken to Latrobe and placed in the borough lockup and the trip to Greensburg was not begun until almost daylight this morning. When the sheriff's party arrived here the thousands of people who had threatened to lynch the alleged murderer had gone to their homes. The trip was made overland and Cruber remarked to Sheriff Trescher:

"This is a beautiful night and a beautiful drive. I'll only take one more and I won't know anything about that one. So drive slowly. I want to enjoy this one as much as possible." Cruber is a German and was born in Westphalia. His parents lived for many years in the suburbs of Cincinnati.

Coroner Wynn began his investigation into the death of Constable Bierer last night. Dr. J. W. Giffen described the wound, saying that it had been inflicted with a 38-caliber revolver. Justice J. Frank Beatty told of sending Constable Bierer to Jamison No. 1 to effect Cruber's arrest. It was developed during the witness' examination that Constable Bierer never carried a revolver and that on Monday he went to the coal works without a pair of handcuffs.

It required barely a minute for the jury that had been empaneled to investigate the death of Constable Bierer to place the responsibility upon Cruber. Four witnesses were examined and it was developed that the murder had been premeditated. It was testified that Cruber had told his neighbors that he would kill the officer who attempted to arrest him. Dr. C. C. Porter of Greensburg told of attending Bierer before he was brought to the Westmoreland hospital and of the dangerous character of the wound made by the revolver shot.

Richard Jamison, superintendent of the No. 1 plant of the Jamison Coal and Coke Company, testified to the quarrel between the Crubers and Louis Olios and to the threats Cruber is said to have made if his arrest was attempted. Chief of Police Amos Hutchinson explained the condition of the room in which the shooting had been done and said there could not have been a scuffle. Sheriff Trescher, in his testimony, said that Cruber had acknowledged that he had killed Bierer. He narrated a conversation he had with Cruber, in which he said that he was determined to kill the first man who came to arrest him and that his only regret was that he had not killed the entire Olios family. Cruber waived a hearing this afternoon.

The $500 reward that was offered by the county commissioners for the arrest of the murderer will be distributed at an early date. The expenses of the police who participated in the man hunt will first be paid, and the remainder will be shared by Angelo Ferio, the Italian who reported Cruber's escape to the woods; Lewis Oral, the boy who discovered Cruber in the tree, and William Simmons and Robert Edwards, the negroes who fired the first shots in their efforts to dislodge him from his retreat.

When Skies are Blue

and the world uses you kindly, is the time to save. Adversity often comes like a thunderbolt out of a clear sky. What protection and comfort then, in a snug sum invested at 4 per cent interest, compounded semi-annually, with the Allegheny Trust Company, 413 Federal street. Start with a dollar, and start today.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

BIDS INVITED FOR NEW PHILIPPINE SECURITIES

Will Be Accepted by Treasury to Secure Additional National Bank Circulation.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 10.—A circular was issued today from the office of the bureau of insular affairs of the war department inviting bids for $3,000,000 of the certificates of indebtedness of the government of the Philippine Islands, authorized by act of congress.

These certificates will be issued in coupon form in the denomination of $1,000 each. They will be dated September 1, 1903; will bear interest at the rate of four per cent, payable quarterly and will be redeemable in one year after date in gold coin of the United States at the office of the depository for funds of the Philippines in New York. The circular says the certificates are exempt absolutely from taxation of any kind whatsoever, here or in the Philippines.

The circular further says: "The secretary of the treasury authorizes the statement that these certificates of indebtedness will be accepted by the treasury department as security for deposits of the public money of the United States in National banks whenever further deposits may be made and may at any time be substituted for United States bonds now held as security for deposit, on condition that the government bonds thus released be used as security for additional National bank note circulation."

The bids will be opened at 2 p. m., August 25, 1903.

New Smallpox Cases.

Five cases of smallpox, nine of typhoid fever and four of scarlet fever were reported yesterday. The smallpox patients are: Harry Schubert, No. 3503 Mulberry alley; Meilss, Harris, No. 39 Flora street; Frank Stuttler, No. 2133 Rose street; Paul Hugel, No. 1714 Duff street, and John Russell of Wade street.

Avoid the Hot Wave By Taking Advantage of the Pennsylvania Railroad Seashore Excursion on July 16th.

Special train leaves Union station at 8:55 a. m., with through coaches and Pullman parlor cars to Atlantic City without change. Evening train at 10 p. m., with through sleeping cars to Atlantic City and sleeping cars to Philadelphia. Rate, $10, good in coaches only; and $12 in parlor and sleeping cars, when accompanied by the usual Pullman charges.

Excursion to Cumberland, Sunday, July 12, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves Smithfield and Water street station, Pittsburgh, 7 a. m. $2 round trip.

In Fine Quarters.

The United States National bank has removed to its fine new building, 503 Market street, one door from Fifth avenue.

ENDEAVORERS HAD BUSY DAY

Many Meetings Held in Interest of the Society at Denver Assemblage.

MISSIONARY RALLIES ARE HELD

One Speaker Said If Chinese Had Any Spirit All Missionaries and Foreigners Would Be Driven from Celestial Empire.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DENVER, COL., July 10.—A conservative estimate made this afternoon places the number of delegates in attendance on the international Christian Endeavor convention, in session here, at 7,300. About 5,000 other visitors also have arrived.

Of the 64,000 societies that make up the union society of Endeavorers throughout the world, the organization at the Twenty-third Avenue Presbyterian church of Denver shows the largest increase in membership since November last. Its membership has increased from 35 to 135. A magnificent banner of Japanese design will be presetned to this society by President Clark.

The day's program opened with a 6 o'clock memorial service for the late field secretary, Clarence E. Eberman. At 8:30 a. m. missionary meetings were held in the various churches. The Rev. P. H. Beach of New York spoke on "China" at the First Congregational church and said foreign syndicates had secured every available railroad concession or business enterprise and that the greed of the British, German, French and other foreign operators has brought about an industrial revolution in that country. He said: "If the Chinese had the spirit of the men of '76 there would not be a foreigner or a missionary left in China."

At the Grace church meeting the Rev. E. E. Chivers of Boston spoke on "Leavening the Nation." He touched upon the negro problem during his discourse and predicted a climax at an early date.

The first general session of the day was held in the tent at 10 o'clock, President Francis E. Clark, presiding. Ten thousand people were in attendance. This afternoon denominational rallies were held at the various churches.

WILL APPEAL TO CZAR.

Russian Ambassador Declines to Act on American Negro Lynching Question.

LONDON, July 10.—The Russian ambassador in London according to the Catholic Herald, has refused to receive a petition relative to the treatment of negroes in the United States, and forward it to the czar, as requested by the Catholic Herald.

The petition draws attention to the "increasing outrages on negroes accompanied by appalling brutality," and urges the Russian government to make representations to Washington asking the authorities there "to take steps, in the interests of civilization and humanity to suppress the growing evil."

The archbishop says the matter is outside his purview and that he cannot, therefore, move the rein. The Catholic Herald says the petition will be sent direct to St. Petersburg.

GEORGE GOULD MAKING TOUR OF INSPECTION

CANTON, O., July 10.—(Special.)—George Gould, the railroad magnate; General Manager Robert Blickensderfer of the Wheeling & Lake Erie and a number of other officials of the Wheeling & Lake Erie passed through Canton this afternoon on a tour of inspection of the Wheeling & Lake Erie road.

Four Died of Lockjaw.

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.—Tetanus was responsible for four deaths in this city today. Two of the victims, Frank Layfield, aged 12, and John Monroe, aged 12 years, received their injuries during the Fourth of July celebration. James Johnstone, aged 10 years, was shot by a toy pistol, the wound developing lockjaw and Joseph Knittle, the fourth victim, had his hand crushed in a paper mill, lockjaw setting in after his arm had been amputated.

Officer Shot Dead.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., July 10.—(Special.)—At Glen Jean Fayette County, last night a man named Thornton shot and killed Henry Bell, an officer of that town. The shooting was apparently unprovoked. Thornton was arrested by Constable Bragg. The excitement ran so high that the officers were forced to hide their man in the woods until he could be taken by a circuitous route to Fayette jail.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS TO OHIO FILE, Via B. & O. R. R. $1 Round Trip.

Special train leaves Pittsburgh, 8:10 a. m.

JURY WAS REPROACHED FOR EXCESSIVE AWARD

Judges Object to the Continuous Round of Pleasure at Railroad's Expense.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BALTIMORE, July 10.—In the case of the exceptions of the Western Maryland railroad to the award of $79,800 as the compensation for 28 acres of land which the company desired in reaching tidewater at this point Judges Fowler and Burke today held that the award is excessive, severely censured the jury for misconduct and ordered that a new jury be summoned to hear the case.

It was in evidence that the jury of award was considering the case for 14 days and that during that period they were taken to the circus, the theater and suburban resorts and entertained at a hotel at a total expense of $1,200, which sum was rendered as a bill of cost against the railroad.

It was also shown that the land for which the owners were awarded $2,500 an acre had been bought by them for $300 an acre.

The conduct of the jury was referred to by the court as a reproach upon the administration of justice, however honest and upright the jury may be.

PERSONALS

"The Japanese have been called the Yankees of the east," said Taisugie Kosugi, a Japanese engineer at the Hotel Henry last night. "The Japs have caught the western idea of civilization and are copying American manners in every respect, but there is one American doctrine in which our people have eclipsed the occidentals and that is in Mr. Roosevelt's great sermon on race suicide. We took up that great feature for the perpetuation of our race thousands of years ago. Your honored president is doing a great missionary work when he tells his fellow-citizens to keep American blood flowing freely."

Edward Davis, aged 11 years, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday morning and has spent the intervening time in looking for his sister, Mrs. Robert T. Lloyd, who is said to reside in this city. The lad has been cared for by the officers of the Pennsylvania railroad at the Union station, and is determined to find his relatives before leaving the city. He is a native of Wilkesbarre, Pa., and for two years attended the Girard college in Philadelphia. He is exceedingly bright for his years and was not frightened when his friends did not appear for him upon his arrival at the station.

Edward J. White, with S. Arnold, the Fourth avenue real estate broker, has been confined to his bed with appendicitis since Monday at his home, Wylie avenue and Trent street.

Dr. C. C. Wiley, regimental surgeon of the Eighteenth regiment, N. G. P., went to Baltimore last night on a sad mission. During the afternoon Dr. Wiley received a telegram from Baltimore saying that his mother was dying. He left on the Pittsburgh Limited and had slight hopes of seeing his mother alive when he hurried through the gates of the trainshed at the Union station.

David McQueen of Glasgow and John Mungo of Dundee, Scotland, both wholesale merchants, are spending a few days in Pittsburgh looking through the mills. Messrs. McQueen and Mungo are combining business with a pleasure trip, and will go from this city to Chicago, and from there to Montreal. They expect to be in this country for several months, and are contemplating establishing branches on this side of the water.

Prof. J. C. Marks, organist at St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal church, on Ninth street, Pittsburgh, has gone to Ireland to visit his parents, who reside at Cork. Prof. Marks' father has been organist at the Cork cathedral for 42 years.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Residents of nearby towns registered last night at Pittsburgh hotels as follows:

Duquesne—J. H. Bradshaw, Brookville; P. T. Buzard, Sheffield; Robert H. Schegle, Williamsport.

Lincoln—L. Chadwick, Warren, O.; J. W. Tedford, Sharon; F. G. Kennedy, Jr., Lewisburg; J. L. Landon, Scottdale.

Victoria—J. H. Huggins, Sharon; Walter E. Deck, Beaver Falls; Harry Winters, Latrobe; C. E. Maguire, Latrobe; J. S. Johnston, Youngstown.

Anderson—Emil Thiener, Altoona; H. C. Parsons, Akron, O.; D. C. Thornburg, Somerset, Pa.

Henry—John L. Kemtig, Youngstown, O.; F. C. Wright, Somerset; A. M. Dueber, Canton, O.; George Bunton, Corry.

Griswold—S. A. Imhoff, Johnstown; C. W. McClelland, Connellsville; W. H. Silverton, Morgantown, W. Va.; W. T. Goodhorst, Youngstown, O.

Monongahela—W. J. Weakland, Welsch, W. Va.; J. H. Loud, Millsboro; E. J. Birney, Point Marion.

Newells—D. V. Workman, New Castle; J. M. Dunlevy, Uniontown; S. C. Fielding, Wellsburg, W. Va.

DRIVER AND HORSES KILLED BY LIGHTNING

CANTON, O., July 10.—(Special.)—Clinton Summers, living north of Louisville, was struck by lightning and instantly killed Friday morning. Two horses which the young man was driving at the same time were also killed.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—T. J. Caine had his right leg and arm ground off beneath a trireton ladle car in the Shenango Valley steel plant. He died almost instantly. He was 45 years old and leaves a family.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—William Elliott, a steel worker, proved himself a hero by pluckily jumping at the head of a runaway team dashing through the public square. In stopping the team he saved the occupants and also a woman and child who were about to be trampled by the team.

JOHNSTOWN, PA.—William A. Schreck, an employe of Heil & Patterson coal crusher works, met instant death at the Cambria steel Company coke plant here. He was caught in a cog of the huge machine, part of which had to be broken before he could be released. He was 24 years old.

MONESSEN, PA.—The stockholders of the Monessen Savings & Trust Company took favorable action on a resolution to increase the capital stock from $125,000 to $150,000. This virtually carries with it the controlling stock of the First National bank of Monessen.

Mrs. Hughson, of Chicago, whose letter follows, is another woman in high position who owes her health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"Money seemed but poor and paltry compared to health, and yet a few dollars invested in **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** brought me good health. I suffered for several years with general weakness and bearing-down pains, caused by womb trouble. My appetite was frightful, and I would lie awake for hours, and could not sleep, until I seemed more weary in the morning than when I retired. After reading one of its advertisements I decided to try the merits of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**, and I am so glad I did. No one can describe the good it did me. I took three bottles faithfully, and besides building up my general health, it drove all disease and poison out of my body, and made me feel as spry and active as a young girl. Mrs. Pinkham's medicines are certainly all they are claimed to be."—Mrs. M. E. Hughson, 347 E. Ohio St., Chicago, Ill. — *$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

If the slightest trouble appears which you do not understand, write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for her advice, and a few timely words from her will show you the right thing to do. This advice costs nothing, but it may mean life or happiness or both.

As Business Bringers Gazette Classified Ads Equal Any.

Cameras— Take a camera along on your vacation trip and your pleasure will be increased two-fold. Big reduction all along the line here today. Eastman's new folding kodaks, No. 3A, 3¼x4¼ in. with automatic bulb release shutter—reduced to 17.50

Premo film cameras—3¼x4¼ in., folding films—reduced to 3.60.
"Brownie" Kodaks—daylight developing—at only 2.00.
"The Century" 4x5 in. plate camera, fitted with automatic shutter—reduced to $9.50.

Open tonight till 10 o'clock

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Open tonight till 10 o'clock

Two very special items for today's buyers—if you're quick to grasp a bargain—don't miss these:

Bathing suits— men's two-piece style, all wool, guaranteed not to shrink, fancy combination colorings, absolutely fast—reduced to 1.98

Men's $4 bathing suits—high grade pure worsted, guaranteed not to shrink, fancy combination colorings, absolutely fast—reduced to 2.98

Largest and most notable shirt deal ever consummated

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THE way of the manufacturer has been a sorry one this season; hundreds have been forced to take bitter medicine in the way of countermanded orders. Strikes, unseasonable weather and other turbulent trade conditions have all wielded influence in bringing about serious reverses—but the shirt makers bore the brunt of the trouble. Several New York manufacturers turned to us for relief from the constrained conditions. Big stocks they had, but their assets were as bare of ready cash as mythical Mother Hubbard's cupboard. A little strategy, a little dickering, and—we've established a NEW record. Last year we made a purchase of 6,700 dozen (up to that time the largest single purchase ever made by any one house); our purchase this year makes that amount appear very small in comparison. These shirts were all made for this summer's selling, and comprise assortments greater than you ever dreamed of. The materials include: finest printed and woven madras, cheviot, nainsook, batiste, jacquard, dimity, etc., etc. Every kind and style of shirt made. Colors and patterns range from plain white to the swellest and most exclusive novelties, including the new corn, oxford gray, tan and granite shades; in plain effects, figures, spots, stripes or checks; plain bosoms, pleated bosoms, French bosoms, etc.

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Silk shirts— While searching the market for this annual shirt sale we secured from miscellaneous sources 50 doz. regular $5 silk shirts; for that is the price all haberdashers charge for them. During this sale we will offer these shirts as long as they last for..... 1.50

There is not a shirt in the lot worth under $1, more are worth $1.50, and there are hundreds of dozens worth $2 and $2.50. These shirts are now on sale in regular department and in main aisle, assorted and arranged according to size, on separate counters.

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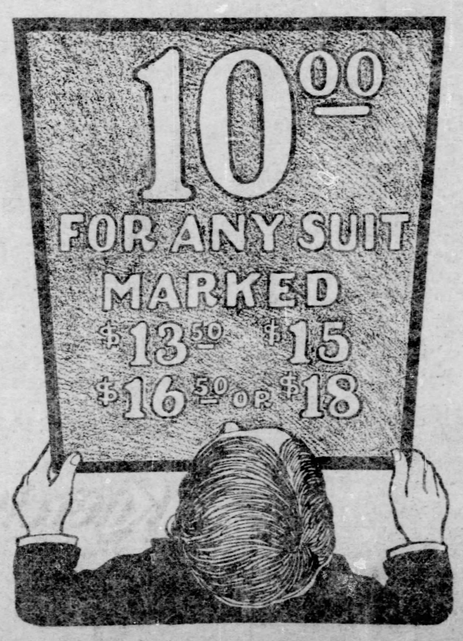
The clothing cleaning is held up by strong arms

STRONGEST of these is the arm of public faith and confidence in the absolute truth of every word contained in our announcements. The men of Pittsburgh know that with "The Big Store" to say a thing is to DO it. No misrepresentations are tolerated here—no juggling with price marks—no subterfuges to make goods appear cheap—but everything conducted in a clear, straightforward and above-board manner. This accounts for the wonderful success achieved by this sale since the hour of its inception.

If we followed custom, we might do as other clothiers do, viz.—show you a suit marked $6 and tell you it was reduced from $10, or one marked $10 and say that the former price was $18, or one marked $16 and say it sold earlier in the season for $30. But, instead, we've just let the old prices remain on the tickets, and let you do your own price-cutting. We've simply divided our entire stock into three parts, placing all the suits marked $8, $9, $10 and $12 together on a separate section of the clothing floor, all those marked $13.50, $15.00, $16.50 and $18.00 on another section, and all those marked $20, $22, $25 and $30 on another, giving you choice at 6.00, 10.00 and 16.00.



But, the best way to realize the full significance of this 20 to 50 per cent discount sale is to come in and get face to face with the suits—with the fabrics—with the tailoring—with the fit—'twill be more convincing than any elaborate word-picture we might draw. You've already bought your summer suit? Makes no difference. When it comes to getting an entire suit for a trifle more than the cost of the trousers alone, no man should hesitate about replenishing his wardrobe.

All men's pants marked $2.48 or over also divided into 3 lots

The first lot includes all those pants marked $2.48 and $2.98 from which you can now take your choice for only 1.75. The second lot includes all those pants marked $4, $4.50 and $5 from which you can take your choice for only 3.00. The third lot includes all those pants marked $5.50, $6.50 and $7 from which you can take your choice at 4.50.

AS BUSINESS BRINGERS GAZETTE CLASSIFIED ADS EQUAL ANY.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Pittsburgh	Rain		Brooklyn
St. Louis	4—New York		3
Chicago	7—Philadelphia		4
Cincinnati	6—Boston		5

CLARKE AND HANLON WELCOMED THE DOWNFALL OF RAIN

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Chicago	8—Boston	4
Cleveland	4—Philadelphia	1
New York	3—St. Louis	1
Detroit	10—Washington	5

BOTH TEAMS GLAD THAT IN RAINED

Hanlon Was at Loss for a Pitcher and Clarke Did Not Want to Take Any Chances.

BOSTON TEAM COMES TODAY

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	49	21	.700	Brooklyn	31	31	.500
New York	42	24	.636	Boston	27	41	.397
Chicago	42	29	.592	St. Louis	24	46	.343
Cincinnati	35	31	.530	Philadelphia	20	47	.299

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Boston at Exposition Park.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Cincinnati.

The final game of the series between the Pittsburgh and Brooklyn teams was called off on account of wet grounds. This was satisfactory to Manager Hanlon, who had been guessing all morning as to a pitcher. The only one he had was Phillippi, who had been pounded hard in his last game. Hanlon was not taking any chances. That Fourth of July experience of his furnished him a lesson he will profit by for a long time. It was to please a large crowd of holiday baseball lovers that he took a chance on a game that day, and he has been out of the game and in the doctor's hands ever since. He figures, and correctly, too, that the team is badly enough crippled now without taking more chances on wet, slippery fields.

Among the callers at baseball headquarters yesterday was Catcher Harry Smith, who has been proving himself the pluckiest player in the game. The middle finger of Smith's right hand is as large as three ordinary fingers and it presents a bruised, battered appearance, yet the catcher goes pluckily to work every afternoon because, owing to Phelps' injury, his services are needed. "Does it pain?" asked Harry yesterday in answer to a question. "Why of course it does, but what's the use complaining. I was tired laying off."

Al Buckenberger and his troupe of Bostonians will be here today to open up a four days' argument with the champions. On the occasion of Buckenberger's last visit his team was in pretty bad shape, as his best pitchers were on the hospital list and others were complaining. Since that time both Willis and Pittinger have rounded into playing form and both have been winning a fair share of their games. Buckenberger is anxious to have his team finish in the first division and from now on the Beaneaters may be looked for to do a lot of hustling for victories.

Groundkeeper Murphy received a telegram yesterday notifying him of the death of his brother, who resided in Indianapolis, also that his funeral would take place on Friday. The telegram was sent to Baltimore, where Murphy was working during the early part of this season, and was forwarded here on Thursday evening, but was not delivered until yesterday morning. The mixup was caused by a change of residence. Murphy at once telegraphed requesting that the funeral be postponed until today and last night he left for Indianapolis.

TOOK TEN INNINGS.

ST. LOUIS, July 10.—The locals won a 10-inning battle from the New Yorks today by a score of 4 to 3. Pitcher McFarland let the visitors down with six hits, while the locals tagged Miller and McGinnity for a total of 15 safeties. Attendance 1,600. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell, 2	0	3	2	3	2	Browne, r.	1	1	1	0	0
Donlin, r	0	1	0	1	0	O'Brien, m	0	2	1	0	0
Smoot, m.	3	1	3	0	0	Dunn, l.	0	0	1	0	0
Burke, s.	0	2	3	2	1	Mertes, l.	0	1	0	0	1
Barclay, l	1	1	0	3	0	0	Babb, s.	1	0	3	4	2
Hall-Bett,	1	1	0	1	0	0	Gilbert, 2.	1	0	4	1	0
Demont, s	0	1	0	4	0	0	Hibert, 2.	1	0	4	1	0
J O'Neill, c	0	2	7	3	1	Ewing, c	0	2	6	4	1
M'F'l'd, p	0	0	0	3	0	Miller, p.	0	0	0	2	0
						M'Gin'y, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	4	15	30	15	4		3	9	27	14	4

*One out when winning run was scored.

St. Louis	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	—4
New York	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—3

Two-base hits—Mertes, Farrell, Van Haltren. Double plays—Mertes (unassisted), Miller, Bowerman and Mertes. Stolen bases—J. O'Neil, Browne, Babb, Gilbert. Hit by pitched ball—By Miller, J. O'Neill. Bases on balls—Off McFarland 3, off Miller 1, off McGinnity 1. Struck out—By McFarland 7, by Miller 3. Left on bases—St. Louis 9, New York 6. Innings pitched—By Miller 8, by McGinnity 2. Hits off McGinnity 2, off Miller 13. Time—2:20. Umpire—Moran.

REDS WIN AGAIN.

CINCINNATI, July 10.—Cincinnati took the last game of the series from Boston today, making it four out of the five games played. The contest was exciting, and not until the last man was out was the game decided. Attendance 1,500. The score:

Cin'natl.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Donlon, l.	2	2	2	0	0	Dexter, m.	0	2	1	1	0
Bey'r'r, m	0	2	6	0	0	Cooley, l.	0	0	12	0	1
Dolan, r.	0	2	3	0	0	Stanley, r.	1	1	2	0	0
Beckley, 1	0	1	11	0	0	Carney, r.	0	2	0	0	0
Steinf't,	3	0	1	1	0	Moran, c.	1	1	3	0	0
Daly, 2.	0	0	0	4	0	Abbatch,	2	1	2	4	1
Kelley, c.	0	2	5	1	0	Quar'm'gh,	0	1	5	3	0
Feltz, c.	0	0	3	1	0	Aubrey, s.	1	1	2	4	0
Harper, p	1	3	0	3	1	Pratt, p.	0	2	1	4	1
Totals	6	13	27	13	1	Totals	5	12	24	13	5

Cincinnati	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	*—6	
Boston	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	1—5	

Two-base hits—Greminger, Kelley, Abbatch. Three-base hit—Seymour. Sacrifice hits—Moran, Peitz, Beckley. Stolen base—Dexter. Double plays—Aubrey to Cooley; Kelley to Beckley to Daly. First base on balls—By Harper 3, by Pratt 2. Hit by pitched ball—Stanley. Struck out—By Harper 3, by Pratt 3. Left on bases—Cincinnati 8, Boston 11. Time—Two hours. Umpire—Holliday.

MENEFEE'S GOOD FORM.

CHICAGO, July 10.—Chicago today won the last game of the series by bunching 10 hits in three innings. After the first Menefee pitched in fine form. Attendance 1,200. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle, l.	1	1	2	2	0	0	Thomas, m	1	1	3	0	0
Casey, 3.	0	2	3	3	0	Wolfon, 3	0	0	2	2	0
Chance, 1.	1	1	2	8	1	0	Titus, l.	1	1	1	1	0
Jones, m.	0	0	0	0	0	Keister, r.	0	1	5	0	0
Cook, m.	0	0	4	0	0	Barry, 2.	1	1	1	7	0
Tinker, s.	1	2	1	0	0	Hulswitt, s	0	1	2	3	0
Evers, 2.	1	3	0	4	2	Gleason, 2.	0	2	2	5	0
Harley, r.	0	2	2	0	0	Zimmer, c.	0	0	2	2	0
Kling, c.	2	1	4	1	0	Dug'by, p.	0	2	0	1	0
Menefee, p	1	1	1	2	0	*Washburn	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	15	27	11	2	Totals	4	9	24	12	1

*Batted for Dugglesby in ninth.

Chicago	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	1	*—7	
Philadelphia	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—4	

Left on bases—Chicago 7, Philadelphia 6. Two-base hits—Gleason. Three-base hit—Chance. Sacrifice hit—Wolverton. Stolen bases—Tinker, Evers, Titus, Barry. Struck out—By Menefee 4, by Dugglesby 1. Bases on balls—Off Menefee 1, off Dugglesby 1. Time—1:30. Umpire—O'Day.

Two Players Suspended.

NEW YORK, July 10.—(Special.)—Suspension sentences of three days each were announced today from the office of President Pulliam of the National league against Timothy Flood, second baseman of the Brooklyns, and "Jack" Weimer, Chicago's left-handed pitcher.

Comiskey After Davis.

CHICAGO, July 10.—(Special.)—President Comiskey of the Chicago American league team has left for New York, and it is believed he will attempt to enjoin the playing of Davis on the Polo grounds.

WILLIE LEWIS IS SORRY HE TRIED THE DOUBLE CROSS

NEW YORK, July 10.—(Special.)—Willie Lewis hopes to become famous. To achieve his ambition he took a chance last night in his sparring bout with Champion Young Corbett and tried to "double cross" the little Denverite.

Corbett and Lewis are "acting" at the Dewey theater, and in the course of events don the mitts for a friendly set-to. They got along all right until last night, when Lewis decided that he needed a reputation. After they had been sparring nearly three rounds the time looked ripe to Lewis, and as Corbett came in to close quarters, he was met with the right hand punch that nearly put him into dreamland.

The blow rocked the champion's head, and he was groggy for a moment. Then he recovered and sailed into Lewis, and it looked as though Lewis would have to be carried off the ring. The end of the bout saved him.

A CHINESE PLUNGER AT BRIGHTON BEACH

Attired in Rich Mongolian Dress Ah Fung Chang Made His Bets and Won a Big Roll.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, July 10.

Brighton Beach is today glorifying in the presence of a real Chinese plunger. Richly attired in the variegated flowing silks of the Mongolian dress Ah Fung Chang, for such is his name, attracted no end of attention in the Brighton betting mart yesterday as he sauntered his way through the jostling throngs to the bookmakers. He won over $8,800 on the day. He flaunted yellow $100 bills and played the game of horse racing in the most orthodox manner. He came to hand as Sol Lichtenstein marked up 8 to 5 against Agnes Brennan in the first race. When he handed up $800 worth of the favorite the speculators round about stopped short in their wild career to gape in astonishment. He did the same thing in at least two other books. He won at least $2,400.

When the gossip of the ring centered upon the new-found plunger, old timers in the ranks of the "wise" who lay prices in the summer and in the winter, at once recalled the halcyon days of "Little Pete," the almond-eyed rascal who took $250,000 out of the old Bay Side track ring at San Francisco 10 years ago on the result of pre-arranged races.

Ah Fung Chang is bound to eclipse the star of "Little Pete," judged by his betting form of yesterday. He wagered with a prodigal recklessness. Besides his $2,400 winnings on Agnes Brennan, he bet at least $1,000 to Rigodon, when the Keene colt, ruling at 7 to 5, took Proper into camp. His winnings total $3,800.

Ah Fung Chang is a rich fancy goods merchant of Seattle, Wash. He goes to the races with an interpreter. The lucky Chink is reputed to be $10,000 ahead on the season.

Mohawks to Play Avonmore.

The Mohawks will meet the Avonmore aggregation this afternoon at Avonmore, and, stinging under two recent defeats, the only losses of the season, will make a hard try to land the game. Engel will pitch and probably Seaman will catch. The Mohawks will have Morton and Upperman in their lineup this afternoon and will be stronger for their services. Upperman is one of the well-known amateurs in this section and is regarded as one of the fastest young players in the game. He is a steady outfielder and strong sticker and base runner. Morton has a record as a hitter and fielder. Train leaves West Penn station at 10:15.

Anchoria Wins Another Game.

The Anchoria A. C. beat the Loughridges in a twilight game 10 to 1. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Anchoria	4	3	1
Loughridge	1	0	0

Batteries—Donaldson and Dailey; Littell, Gestrich and Boyles.

Red Stars Win Game.

The Red Stars defeated the Connor A. C. 18 to 12. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Red Stars	2	18	1
Connor A. C.	9	2	1

Mellon Clerks to Picnic.

The clerks of the Mellon National bank will hold a picnic and field meet this afternoon at Olympia park. A ball game between the bookkeepers and the Mellon regular team will be a feature of the day. Races will also be run by the clerks. The prize for the 100-yard dash is a handsome silver loving cup donated by Gillespie Bros. Valuable prizes are also provided for the other events.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

The Windsors play at Wilmerding today. W. M. East End, O.—The first is always the scheduled game.

The Crafton Juniors will play the Wilkinsburg A. A. today.

The Wagners and St. Marys Cadets play on a postponed game today.

The Iroquois club will play the Braddock team at Braddock today.

The Cabinet A. C. will line up against the Walton A. C. this afternoon.

The Hoboken Stars will play the Under Ground Cables today at Hoboken.

The Amateur Stars will play the Imperials at Recreation park, Heron Hill.

The St. Marys will play the Wagners of Carnegie today on the latter's grounds.

Radcliffe of the Baum A. C. is requested to report at the ball park at 1:30 o'clock.

The Munday A. C. will play the Denny A. C. today on Munday A. C. grounds, South Side.

The Cohn A. C. will line up against the Keystone A. C. today on the latter's grounds.

Avalon plays the Ritter & Conley team at Avalon today. Barrett or Delp will pitch for Avalon.

Any good team wanting a game for today call up 232 West Wilkinsburg between 7 and 10 a. m. this morning.

The Dinwiddie Crescents would like to hear from all 13 and 14-year-old teams. Flowers Avenue Stars preferred.

At Millvale ball park today the commission merchants of the produce yards at Liberty street will play a game.

The Browns play at Idlewood today. All players must report at Fifth avenue and Liberty avenue at 2 o'clock sharp.

The Highland A. C. and the Sherman Senates will meet on the Highland's grounds, corner of Bryant and Negley avenue.

The Beaver Falls A. C. has July 18 and August 1 open for first-class teams only. G. W. Goodway, Beaver Falls, Pa.

The Oil Well Supply Company team defeated the Pittsburgh Gauge & Supply Company 23 to 7 in a six inning game.

The Valley Juniors would like to hear from all 13 to 7-year-old teams. Address Michael Kennedy, 4705 Hatfield street, Pittsburgh.

The Remington Juniors of Moon Run would like to hear from the Seaside Reserves for today. Address James Clark, Moon Run.

The Hatfield Stars would like to hear from all 9 to 10-year-old teams. Address James Garvey, 106 Forty-sixth street, Pittsburgh.

Owing to the Melvins canceling, the Verona Indians are without a game today. Call up 29 Oakmont, between 8 and 9:30 a. m. Ask for Stoner.

At Bridgeville the Lafayettes will go against Mayers' Tigers. Battery for Bridgeville will be Goehring and Kinney, for Lafayette Sykes and Stauffer.

The Avalon Juniors would like to hear from the Osborne Juniors for a game on July 18 at Swickley. Write A. W. Stark, 630 Spran avenue, Avalon.

The W. H. Fullers play the Idlewood Juniors today. All players are requested to report at Thirty-fifth and Butler streets not later than 2:30 sharp.

The Eureka Greys would like to hear from all 10 or 11-year-old teams for Sunday and twilight games. Address William Weisser, 1519 Penn avenue.

The West End A. C., formerly the Haviland A. C., will play the Mt. Troy team Sunday. The battries for W. E. A. C. will be Guenther or Tiegel and House.

The Fosters will play the Ninth Regiment team at the Arsenal ball grounds today. All players are requested to be at the club house not later than 12 o'clock sharp.

The Admirals and Birmingham A. C. meet on the Admiral grounds today. The battery for Admirals will be Laney and McLaughlin. All players will report at 2:30.

There will be two games in Sewickley this afternoon. The Sewickley Reserves will play the Uniontown team and the Y. M. C. A. first team will play the Washington Amateurs.

The D. F. Crawfords play the Imperial Juniors at Schenley Park today. Any 10 or 11-year-old teams wishing games for July 25 address William J. Lynch, 605 Fifth avenue.

The Seaside Reserves will line up against the Merrimac A. C. Sunday, and all Seaside players are to report at the corner of Arlington and Knox avenues no later than 2 o'clock.

The Allentown A. C. will journey to Dravosburg today to meet the Superiors of that town and all players are requested to meet at Fourth avenue and Smithfield street at 1:30 o'clock.

The Loyal A. C., the second team of Pitcairn, will buck up against the Bolivar team at Bolivar today. Kennedy will twirl for Pitcairn, and either Treasure or Lang for Bolivar.

The All Pittsburgh team of Herron Hill will play their first game of a series of three with the strong Herron Hill A. C. today. These games will be hot, as it is for the championship of the hill.

Owing to the Sewickley High school team disbanding the Rhody Wallace team is without a game for this afternoon, and any team desiring a game call F. C. Dankmyer, telephone 36-4 Millvale.

The Arrow A. C. would like to hear from some strong amateur team for July 18 and 25. Would like to hear from the All-Pittsburgh team for July 18. Address T. J. Hunkele, 309 Forty-fourth street.

The Manchester Juniors on account of Primrose Reserves canceling, have today open. Any 13 or 14-year-old team wishing a game call up Brady 244, between 8 and 12 a. m., and ask for John Daley.

The St. Joseph Casinos will play the Job A. C. on the latter's grounds. All players will report at 2 o'clock. Beisinger and Baumbach are requested to report at the corner of Pearl and Liberty streets.

The Shelbys will play at Economy and all players are requested to report at the Fort Wayne depot, Federal street, Allegheny, at 1:50 p. m. Steffander and Lepping will do the batting work for the Shelbys.

The Humboldts will play the Superior A. C. on the Humboldt's grounds. All Humboldt players will report at 1:30 sharp. Draher will do the twirling for the Humboldts. The Humboldts play the Clippers on Sunday.

The Lamont A. C. will play the Echoes today on the Echoes' grounds. Crooks or Bailey will be on the firing line for Lamont, while Patterson will do the receiving. All players are requested to report at Aiken avenue no later than 1:30 o'clock.

The Ford A. C. will play at Crafton this afternoon. The following players will report not later than 12:15 at the corner of Fifth and Ellsworth avenue: Dermott, McClusen, McAteer, McKenna, Wertz, Means, Nicholson, Kufnagel, Hayse and Geuhs.

The Ingram Juniors will play the Hickory A. C. today. The following players are requested to report at Sixth and Liberty streets at 2 p. m. sharp: Diven, Quinn, B. Eckel, A. Eckel, F. Campbell, Jennings, Feinaugle, McNagy, Mourhouse and J. Campbell.

The Xanths Juniors will play the Acorn Juniors Rocks on their grounds. The Xanthas claim to be the best 12-year-old club in Allegheny county. It has played 7 games and won all. Would like to hear from all uniformed 12-year-old teams. Fred Hoff, 19 Perry street, city.

The Melvins play the Elmores today on the Recreation grounds. Game called at 2 p. m. Players of both teams will meet at Center and Kirkpatrick streets at 1:30 p. m. McClory and Jennings will be the batterys for Melvins, while Crowe and Cullison will officiate for the Elmores.

The National Transit team plays at West Homestead today. Gambol, Brannan, McMahon, Jennings, McAteer, Brassel and McGlinchy are to be at Vandergrift building at 1:30 sharp. Transit has July 18 open. Address L. H. Flann, 321 Fourth avenue, or call Bell 826 Court, 338 Par, and F. & A. 198 Main.

The Verners will play Whonga of Allegheny this afternoon. The following members of the team are requested to meet at the corner of Penn and Winebiddle avenues not later than 2 o'clock: Oehling, Carr, Heinz, Maier, Fullen, Scott, O'Donnell, McDonnell, Siebert, Johnstown, Joe Swaney and Hill. The Verners have open dates. Address John Hill, 314 N. Mathilda street, Pittsburgh.

The Fairbanks play the Natrona team at Natrona today. This will be the second meeting of these teams this season, the Allegheny lads having come out ahead in the previous game. Claffe will do the twirling for the Fairbanks and Draher will be his receiver. Bowser and Bowser will probably be in the points for the home team. The following players must report at the West Penn station, Chestnut street, Allegheny, not later than 1:30 p. m.: Draher, Claffe, Glitzen, Peiffer, Mangold, Yoedt, Bardelmig, Lippert, Hoellerman and Thompson.

BUT ONE EVENT.

Because of the rain but one event took place yesterday afternoon in the tennis tournament at the Pittsburgh Field club. C. L. Childs and S. W. B. Moorhead beat Earl and Garland in the doubles, 8—3, 6—4. Bocher and Vinton were to have played Childs and Moorhead, but they left for their home at Johnstown and so defaulted. The other events on the card were postponed until today and the tournament will be carried over until next week.

Childs and Moorhead will meet in the finals in singles this afternoon at 3 o'clock and the winner will meet Dr. Stephens, present holder of the championship, Monday afternoon. Stephens and Hunt will meet Ewing and Edwards in doubles this afternoon at 3 o'clock and the winner of this match will play Childs and Moorhead.

Delehanty's Body Shipped Home.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 10.—The body of Ed J. Delehanty, the well-known outfielder of the Washington American league baseball team, who was drowned in the Niagara river off the International bridge, was shipped to Cleveland today for burial.

HARNESS INDUSTRY OF PITTSBURGH.

Many Improvements Made Within Recent Years in the Manufacturing of Harness.

A Leading Harness Manufactory.

The harness industry has made enormous strides in the past few years. In fact, Pittsburgh can now boast of having one of the largest harness factories within the United States. Most deserving in the line of its improvements and the magnitude of its operations is the plant of the Pittsburgh Harness Supply Company, located at No. 187 Seventh street. Mark G. Hibbs is the president of this enterprising corporation. His generous and careful management has won an enviable reputation and the patronage of over 10,000 horse owners. The plant occupies a five-story building 200 feet deep, devoted exclusively to the manufacture and sale of harness and horse goods. They employ about half a hundred skilled workmen and retain at a large figure the most expert designer whose harness appointments are recognized at all the leading horse shows. Consequently, the smart set who were formerly forced to go to the eastern markets to obtain the correct appointed harness may now find at home harness with that indefinable something that gives the air of distinction so much admired. The Pittsburgh Harness Supply Company devotes its entire first floor to the display and salesroom, where at all times can be found harness for any style of vehicle in all the newest and smartest styles. It employs expert fitters who so carefully measure horses for harness as the lady for a new gown.

They not only make the finest harness, but give the same careful attention to the medium and less expensive grades. As their enormous facilities and the magnitude of their leather purchases, combined with the fact that they offer you their harness direct at cost of material and making, plus one profit only, warrant a saving of no mean proportions on reliable goods. Lovers of the horse and stable will be interested in the many European leather and stable novelties this firm displays. As it is a direct importer of all English goods and everything made in pigskin.

Notwithstanding the dangerous popularity of the automobile, the horse for pleasure seems to be more in demand than ever before and one cannot help noticing the many beautiful equipages and rich designs in harness to be seen everywhere along the boulevards and parks.

RESPECT IS SHOWN TO ED DELEHANTY

Cleveland and Philadelphia Players Wore Bows of Crepe. Spiders Take Game.

HOFFMAN JUMPS THE CLUB

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	44	25	.638	Chicago	32	32	.500
Philadelphia	40	29	.580	Detroit	31	33	.484
Cleveland	35	31	.530	St. Louis	28	34	.452
New York	32	30	.516	Washington	19	47	.288

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.—Inferior work at the bat today was the cause of the locals' defeat by Cleveland. An injured hand prevented Davis from playing, and Schreck, who took his place, was hurt and retired. The players wore bows of crepe in memory of the late Ed Delehanty. Hoffman, Manager Mack's extra outfielder, has jumped to the Los Angeles team. Attendance, 3,883. Score:

Cleve'l'nd.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bay, m.	1	1	1	0	0	Hartsel, l.	0	1	1	2	0
Bradley, 3	0	1	1	4	1	Pick'ing, r	0	1	2	0	0
Lajoie, 2.	0	0	4	3	0	Schreck, l.	1	1	1	6	1
H'lman, l	1	1	0	1	1	0	Bender, l.	0	0	6	0	0
M'Clur, 1	1	0	0	1	0	0	La Cress, 3	0	0	0	2	0
Flick, r.	1	1	0	0	0	Seybold, m	0	1	4	0	1
Goch'er, s	1	1	3	5	2	Murphy, 2.	0	0	2	3	0
Abbott, c.	0	1	4	5	0	M. Cross, s	0	0	3	2	1
Joss, p.	0	1	1	1	0	Powers, c.	0	0	3	1	1
						Coakley, p.	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	4	7	27	19	3	Totals	1	5	27	18	3

Cleveland	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	—4
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two-base hit—Bradley. Three-base hit—Flick. Stolen bases—Bay, Abbott. Left on bases—Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 8. First base on balls—Off Coakley 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Schreck. Double play—Lajoie, Bradley and Kittredge. Struck out—By Coakley 3. Wild pitches—Joss 1, Coakley 1. Time—1:45. Umpire—Hassett.

INVADERS BEAT BROWNS.

New York Bats Scientifically in Fourth and Gets Game.

NEW YORK, July 10.—New York won today's game from St. Louis by scientific batting in the fourth inning, when they made three runs. The visitors would have been shut out in the first inning, but Dahlen's fumble let in a run. Wolfe pitched well and showed more speed than at any time during the season. The score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Keeler, r.	0	0	2	0	0	Burkett, l.	1	1	1	1	0
Elberf'd, s	1	1	2	1	0	Heid'k, m.	0	1	4	1	0
Fultz, m.	1	1	2	1	0	Hemphill, r	0	0	1	0	0
Will'ms, 2	0	0	1	2	0	And'son, 1.	0	2	12	1	0
M'Far'd, l	1	1	0	1	0	Wallace, s.	0	0	0	1	0
Ganzel, 1	0	2	7	2	0	Kahoe, c.	0	1	8	1	0
Davis, r.	0	1	1	0	0	Hill, 3.	0	0	1	3	0
Dahlie, c.	0	0	7	0	1	Powell, 2.	0	1	1	3	1
Wolfe, p.	0	0	1	2	0	Powell, p.	0	1	1	5	0
Totals	3	5	27	8	1	Totals	1	8	24	15	2

New York	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	*—3	
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1	

Two-base hits—McFarland, Ganzel, Friel. Sacrifice hits—Williams, Davis, McFarland. First base on balls—Off Powell 1. First base on errors—New York 2, St. Louis 3. Struck out—By Wolfe 6, by Powell 2. Double play—Heidrick and Hill. Left on bases—New York 2, St. Louis 8. Time—1:45. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—1,597.

BUNCHED THEIR HITS.

The Detroit Club Takes a Game from the Senators.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Washington's hits were not bunched as well as Detroit's today, and the heavy and timely batting of Donovan gave the visitors the game. Score:

Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Moran, s.	1	2	2	4	0	Barrett, m	1	3	3	0	0
Selbach,	1	1	2	2	0	1	Lush, l.	1	1	2	0	0
Ryan, m.	2	3	4	0	0	Clarke, r.	1	1	1	0	0
Lee, r.	0	2	0	0	0	Carr, l.	1	1	8	0	2
Cough'n,	3	1	1	2	1	0	Long, s.	0	2	1	2	2
Martin, 2	0	1	2	2	1	0	Yeager, 3.	1	1	1	4	0
Kit'dge, c	0	0	3	1	0	Maxwell, 2.	0	2	2	3	0
Orth, p.	0	2	0	4	2	McGuire, c	0	0	1	0	0
*Drill	0	0	0	0	0	Donov'n, p	1	4	1	2	0
Totals	8	13	27	14	3	Totals	10	15	27	13	3

*Batted for Coughlin in ninth.

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1—6
Detroit	0	3	0	0	1	1	2	1	2	1—10

Two-base hits—Donovan, Lush, Crawford, Lee. Three-base hits—Ryan, Martin, Donovan, Yeager, Crawford, Barrett, Smith. Stolen bases—Moran, Smith, Long. Sacrifice hit—Smith. Double play—Moran (unassisted). First base on balls—Off Orth 4, off Donovan 3. Struck out—By Donovan 2. Left on bases—Washington 7, Detroit 11. Passed balls—Buelow 1, McGuire 1. Time—2:00. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance—1,188.

HAMMERED HUGHES.

BOSTON, July 10.—Chicago took vengeance on the home team today, batting Hughes out of the box in the first inning and winning 8 to 4 with ease. Gibson was also hit hard, but White had the local hitters at his mercy. Collins, Parent and Isbell made noteworthy plays in the field.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
D'g'erty,	1	0	0	4	0	1	Holmes, 3.	2	2	1	3	0
Collins, 3	0	0	2	0	0	Jones, m.	2	2	3	0	0
O'Brien, m	0	0	3	0	0	Green, r.	2	3	2	0	1
Fr'man, r	1	1	1	0	1	Hallman,	1	1	3	1	0
Parent, s.	0	0	2	3	0	Isbell, l.	0	1	14	0	0
L'Conce,	1	1	10	1	0	Magoon, 2.	1	2	1	3	1
Ferris, 2.	1	1	1	3	0	Sanghill,	0	1	1	0	0
Stahl, c.	1	0	4	2	0	Slattery,	0	0	5	1	0
Hughes, p	0	0	0	0	0	White, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Gibson, p.	1	1	0	3	0						
Totals	4	4	27	16	3	Totals	8	14	27	12	2

Boston	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0—4	
Chicago	3	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—8	

Two-base hits—Greene, LaChance. Three-base hits—Holmes, Hallman, Gibson. Home run—Freeman. Stolen bases—Magoon, Hallman. Double play—LaChance, Parent. First base on balls—Off Hughes 1, off Gibson 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Gibson, Magoon. Struck out—By White 4, by Gibson 3. Passed ball—J. Stahl. Balk—Hughes. Time—1:53. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance—2,350.

WON IN ELEVENTH.

GREENVILLE, PA., July 10.—(Special.)—After having Warren shut out for seven innings, the local team, by a series of errors and poor judgment, allowed the visitors to score five runs. Greenville tied the score in the ninth, and 11 innings were played before Warren made the winning run. Cline

ACTRESS TALKS TO CHAUTAUQUANS

Mrs. Grace Gayler Clark an Advocate of American National Theater.

PUBLIC NEEDS EDUCATION

Popular Taste Is Not Capable of Appreciating Plays Having Real Literary Merit—Great Opportunity for Andrew Carnegie or Some Other Croesus.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., July 10.—Of late years Chautauqua has been evincing a great interest in the dramatic profession and such prominent actors as Joseph Jefferson, Clara Morris and Francis Wilson have appeared on the platform. Today Mrs. Grace Gayler Clarke, who played a leading part in "Shore Acres" last season, gave an address on "The National Art Theater." Mrs. Clarke said, in part:

"A national theater has become a necessity and a society of which Julia Marlowe is the president has been organized to work for the establishment of such a theater, where American art may be fostered and the American playwright may have a market for his wares.

"The movement is meeting with the approval of both laymen and clergy. Bishop Potter is one of our strongest supporters. Thousands of people now disdain the idea that the theater is a thing of low morals, and the profession of an actor is degrading. It is our purpose to found a good dramatic school where the earnest student will have an opportunity of seeing only what is best. The plays presented will be of moral character, not necessarily religious, presented on account of their merit and not because they would fill the coffers of the managers. Our greatest American actors have proffered their assistance.

"It is not always the play that needs purifying. It is more often the audience A play of real literary merit frequently is a dead failure because the people are not educated up to it. This, then, will, in a measure, be a kindergarten school for the public. The theater will be national in a sense that it will be strictly American, but not under the government nor in any political ring. It must be endowed by one or two of our millionaires. Andrew Carnegie has aspired to fame by building great libraries, but he who endows the American National Art theater will leave a greater name and have a more enduring claim upon fame."

Mrs. Clarke was tendered an informal reception at the close of the lecture.

Reception for Pittsburgh Woman.

Mrs. Edwin Galvin of New Galilee, Pa., gave a large reception on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. George S. Ward of Pittsburgh, who went to her summer home in New Galilee several weeks ago. Mrs. Price was assisted by Mrs. George Watson of Sewickley, Miss Garnet Fulton of this city, and Mrs. William B. More and Miss Cresge of Allegheny.

Mrs. McKnight's Luncheon.

Mrs. Charles McKnight gave a luncheon at her residence in Glen Osborne yesterday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. William Walker, recently of Allegheny, but now a resident of Sewickley. There were 10 invited guests present.

Dinner in Sewickley.

Twenty guests were present at the dinner given last evening by Mrs. George E. McCague, at her home in Academy avenue, Sewickley. Sweet peas were the table decorations.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

John Roth ..... Homestead
Martha Ohl ..... Homestead
Charles Peterson ..... McKeesport
Christine Olson ..... McKeesport
Thomas Roberts ..... Pittsburgh
Virginia Murgayroyed ..... Philadelphia

TRACTION EXPANSION.

PITTSBURGH RAILWAYS COMPANY GIVES ALLEGHENY AN IMPORTANT SHORT LINE.

New Perrysville District Opened by Way of East Street With Miles of T-Railed Double Tracks.

Residents out East street and the south end of Perrysville avenue in Allegheny, at the beginning of the Perrysville plank road, are elated over the splendid new traction outlet to Pittsburgh they are getting by the introduction of a new double-track line which has just been completed a distance extending a mile beyond the old Keating inn.

Not a few of the prominent citizens have expressed no little satisfaction at the creditable manner in which the Pittsburgh Railways Company has kept its promise to establish broader and better service for this long stretch of Allegheny highlands. Although the line was expected when the great army of men and teams were seen week in and week out tearing up East street, Perrysville avenue, and the beautiful country beyond, no one looked for such an admitted improvement as there is over the other lines throughout the two cities.

The recent evolution in traction construction, with the Pittsburgh Railways Company's disposition to adopt all practical improvements, explains the superiority of the new line.

In an interview today with Superintendent John Murphy of the Pittsburgh Railways Company it was learned that this new line to Perrysville will be without exception the finest traction road in Western Pennsylvania, and that more speed will be obtained on it than is gained by some of the notably fast interurban lines traversing Ohio or those in New York state running between Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Lewiston.

"What will help to make this new line to Perrysville such a speed-making exception to our other lines is the fact that we shall have very few crossings, not over 1 per cent grade except on the short hill leading to Lake Burns, and Perrysville avenue, and will not be interfered with by wagon or other vehicle traffic, there being ample room on either side of the tracks for those driving. Another reason why great speed is possible is the fact that after the line passes the Allegheny city limits is T-railed, and continues on private right of way controlled and owned by our company.

"The road is smooth and jarless. Traction trains can be operated on it with as much ease as single coaches. No future improvements which the increase in population may demand will ever be able to overtax the capacity of this new line. The outlets and room for track extension are innumerable. The level stretch of country we are invading seems to be fitted by Nature for traction expansion, just as the East End district is.

"Do you think that the population of Allegheny will spread out that way?"

"I cannot see any other place for it to spread. The land is there. It is just like the East End; level just like it."

The track is at present completed as far out the Perrysville district as the Five-Mile house, and almost touches the recently macadamized Ben Avon or county boulevard.

This section of Perrysville is known as Keating West-View.

The Pittsburgh terminal for the new line will be in Smithfield street, at Sixth avenue. The new cars will be marked "Perrysville" (not Perrysville avenue). For the present the old Madison and East street cars will be operated on this line.

By going out East street instead of Perrysville avenue and the plank road the new line cuts off three miles of distance. The time schedule from Smithfield street to Keating West-View is 25 minutes. To make the run through the numerous curves of Perrysville avenue and the plank road would require 45 minutes.

Superintendent Murphy said that he expected to have cars in operation on the new line as far as Ben Avon or county boulevard not later than Saturday of this week.

EXPERTS REPORT ON GROWING CROPS

Government Statisticians Figure Out the Prospects for the Year.

THE AVERAGES ARE LOWER

Corn Acreage Decreased 4,200,000 Acres from Last Year and Condition July 1 Is Placed at 79.4 Compared With 87.5 Last Year.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Preliminary returns to the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture show the acreage of corn planted to be about 88,800,000; a decrease of about 4,200,000 or 4.5 per cent from last year, as revised in December. The average condition July 1 was 79.4 as compared with 87.5 July 1, 1902; 81.3 in 1901, and a ten year average of 89.8.

The following table shows for each of the 20 principal corn states the acreage compared with that of last year, on a percentage basis, and the condition on July 1 in each year of the last three years with the ten year July average:

STATES.	This month.	Last month.	July 1, '02.	July 1, '01.	Ten years' average.
Illinois	97	78	91	87	90
Iowa	88	74	90	87	93
Nebraska	90	75	93	88	92
Kansas	90	73	93	74	93
Missouri	88	74	102	70	91
Texas	105	88	41	64	81
Indiana	86	76	90	45	90
Georgia	101	85	88	82	86
Tennessee	98	86	95	88	89
Kentucky	93	82	94	88	90
Ohio	93	73	87	78	88
Alabama	102	92	77	87	87
North Carolina	97	82	98	78	92
Arkansas	97	77	97	71	89
Mississippi	101	91	60	88	85
Virginia	97	84	93	92	91
South Carolina	99	79	93	67	87
South Dakota	97	87	75	89	83
Oklahoma	95	85	90	53	92
Pennsylvania	98	84	82	87	86
United States	95.5	79.4	87.5	81.3	89.8

The average condition of winter wheat on July 1 was 78.8, as compared with 82.2 last month, 77 on July 1, 1902, 88.3 on July 1, 1901, and a ten year average of 78.2.

The following table shows for each of the 12 principal winter wheat states the condition on July 1 in each of the last three years and that on June 1, 1903, with the ten year July averages:

STATES.	This month.	Last month.	July 1, '02.	July 1, '01.	Ten years' average.
Kansas	86	83	56	91	70
Missouri	90	76	99	93	78
California	73	76	84	98	78
Indiana	93	84	82	90	76
Nebraska	90	94	98	94	74
Ohio	87	78	88	88	74
Illinois	67	75	89	88	68
Pennsylvania	90	89	78	93	86
Oklahoma	90	93	80	89	83
Texas	90	87	52	82	78
Tennessee	68	76	69	90	84
Michigan	87	86	93	59	72
United States	78.8	82.2	77.0	88.3	78.2

The average condition of spring wheat on July 1 was 82.5, as compared with 85.6 last month, 92.4 on July 1, 1902, 95.6 on July 1, 1901, and a ten year average of 88.9. The following table shows for each of the five principal spring wheat states the condition of each July 1 in each of the last three years, and that on June 1, 1903, with the ten year July averages:

STATES	This Month.	Last Month.	July 1, '02.	July 1, '01.	Ten years' average.
Minnesota	64	95	90	96	87
North Dakota	73	99	98	100	85
South Dakota	86	100	94	100	84
Iowa	87	91	92	92	93
Washington	80	89	93	93	94
United States	82.5	93.9	92.4	95.6	85.9

The average condition on July 1 of spring and winter wheat combined was 80, as compared with 82.9 on July 1, 1902, and 91.1 on July 1, 1901.

The amount of wheat remaining in the hands of farmers on July 1 is estimated at about 42,500,000 bushels, equivalent to about 6.3 per cent of the crop of last year.

The average condition of the oat crop on July 1 was 84.5, as compared with 85.2 one month ago, 92.1 on July 1, 1902, 83.7 on July 1, 1901, and a ten year average of 87.8.

The following table shows for each of the ten principal oat states the condition on July 1 in each of the last three years, and that on July 1, 1903, and the ten year July average:

STATES.	This Month.	Last Month.	July 1, '02.	July 1, '01.	Ten years' average.
Illinois	76	79	90	78	88
Iowa	88	91	97	92	93
Wisconsin	90	93	100	91	92
Minnesota	86	95	96	96	90
Nebraska	90	90	95	84	86
Indiana	73	79	96	83	93
New York	87	60	98	92	90
Pennsylvania	91	77	90	80	88
Ohio	84	74	88	33	90
Michigan	85	85	93	60	90
United States	84.3	85.8	92.1	83.7	87.8

The average condition of barley is 86.8 against 91.5 one month ago, 93.7 on July 1, 1902, 91.3 at the corresponding date in 1901, and a ten year average of 87.3.

The average condition of winter rye is 90.2, as compared with 91.2 on July 1, 1902, 93.6 at the corresponding date in 1901, and a ten year average of 86.0.

The average condition of spring rye is 88.3, as compared with 89.5 on July 1, 1902, 93.3 at the corresponding date in 1901, and a ten year average of 87.5.

The acreage of flax is about 500,000 acres or 13.5 per cent less than that of last year and the condition is 86.2. The acreage of tobacco is about 7,000 acres, or 0.7 per cent greater than that of last year, and the condition is 85.1.

The acreage of potatoes, excluding sweet potatoes, is about 40,000 acres or 1.6 per cent less than that of last year. The average condition on June 1 was 93.1, as compared with 92.9 on July 1, 1902, 87.4 at the corresponding date in 1901, and a ten year average of 92.8.

The report also includes fruits and various minor crops which will be published in detail in the Crop Reporter.

Bowling at the Club.

Miss Margaret Campbell of Thorn street, Sewickley, gave a bowling party at the Edgeworth club yesterday morning in honor of Miss Nannette Huston and Miss Mayselle Huston, and their house guests, Miss Florence Huston of Columbus, and Miss McMacon, Miss Taylor and Miss Detweiler of Toledo. Others in the party were Miss Katherine Harlow, Miss Isabel Wardrop, Miss Rachel McKnight, Miss Elizabeth Blair, Miss Sarah Chapin, Miss Jane Cunningham and Miss Salome McClurg. The same party was entertained at luncheon in the afternoon by Miss Isabel Wardrop at her home on Academy avenue. The table was decorated with sweet peas.

Informal Affairs.

Mrs. Noble Bowles gave a pretty informal luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Mary F. Lyons, who is to be married next Tuesday to Harry Benham Ruch.

Miss Lucille Lauslin of Philadelphia was the honor guest at a card party last evening at the home of Miss Elizabeth Irwin in Edgeworth. Six-hand euchre was the game. There were 40 guests present.

A luncheon was given by Mrs. Thomas Henry of Sewickley yesterday in honor of her guest, Miss Elizabeth Waite of Culpepper, Va.

HUNTING A THIEF AT ATLANTIC CITY

"Cracker, the Highwayman," Believed to Be in Hiding at the Seashore.

TIMID PERSONS ARE NERVOUS

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THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Young's Ocean Pier.
ATLANTIC CITY, July 10.

The entire city is worked up over the reported presence of Henry Williams, alias "Cracker the highwayman," who escaped from Moyamensing prison on Wednesday last. Several Philadelphia detectives are in the city and with local men are searching the town in an effort to locate their man. Some alarm is felt among the more nervous. Williams has been known to be unscrupulous in his dealings and it is feared he may do some violence before he is captured. The theory is that the man is in hiding along the thoroughfare back of the city or has taken or will take a boat to escape further down the coast to a point where he can obtain a vessel out of the country.

His escape from Moyamensing was sensational. Last Wednesday afternoon the papers arrived for the release of Williams' cellmate and when the cell was unlocked and the other man's name was called, Williams stepped out and was accompanied outside the prison by a keeper. He thanked the keeper for his kindness and turned and walked rapidly away.

Williams' latest escapade was to organize an outbreak in the prison at Savannah, where he was serving a sentence for highway robbery, and so successful was his scheme that he took with him five criminals. In the outbreak several guards were badly injured, one of them fatally.

The authorities at Moyamensing will not give the name of the person who aided Williams to escape, but he is still in prison, and is liable to stay there until his trial for aiding and abetting a prisoner to escape is held.

The Shark Came Back.

There is a story going the rounds which reads like a fairy tale. Captain Young vouches for it, however. Last summer a large shark was found in the nets on Young's Pier. He escaped while the fishermen were trying to capture him. This morning early a 12-foot shark was found again in the nets. Captain Young looked him over carefully and decided it was the same shark that had appeared last year. He said he knew the marks of the pikes and axes on the back and head of the beast as he had made them.

Production of the "Resurrection."

One of the interesting features here next week will be the presentation by the Miller & Kaufmann Stock Company of the "Resurrection," by Count Leo Tolstoi. This famous work has been obtained from an author who knew Count Tolstoi in Russia during the original preparation of the work. He has translated according to his knowledge of the man who wrote it.

More Bathers Rescued.

Bathers continue to get themselves into trouble while in the surf and they are being dragged out of danger at the rate of from five to six a day. Charles Fredericks of Braddock, Pa., was the last to find himself in difficulty today and Guards Davis and Parker reached him in time to prevent a catastrophe. One man who went in bathing this morning at 7 o'clock at the foot of Kentucky avenue, had a narrow escape. He swam some little distance and got cramps. Luckily for him one of the life savers, whose name could not be ascertained, saw him and plunged in to rescue him with a life buoy.

SOCIETY

MRS. JAMES WOOD FRIEND and her daughters, Miss Elizabeth Friend and Miss Rebekah Friend go to the Thousand Islands next Thursday. They will spend the remainder of July and the month of August at the Frontenac and early in September the Misses Friend and Charles Wood Friend will sail for Europe to spend the late autumn and fall abroad. Charles W. Friend will spend the greater part of the summer in Pittsburgh.

James Wood Friend preceded his family to the Thousand Islands this season, having gone on this week. He has chartered for the season The Idler, one of the finest steam yachts in that region for which he is said to have paid a rental of $7,000 for the season. Mr. Friend chartered the same yacht last summer and though the family makes the Frontenac hotel on Round Island its headquarters the yacht makes daily trips in different directions, carrying the Friends and their guests from one point to another.

The Idler is a beautiful craft, 126 feet long. She is schooner rigged, with two masts and is not only a trim looking boat, but is a speedy one, making 20 miles an hour. The upper deck covered with awning is a vantage point for observation up and down the picturesque St. Lawrence river. The only deck cabin is forward and is sometimes used as a dining-room on hot days. Just over it is the captain's bridge and the wheel of polished rose wood.

The Idler below decks is a neat pleasure craft. The forecastle accommodates the crew of six men and the captain. Then comes the cooks' gallery. The engines and boilers fill the greater part of the space between the masts and back of them are the main cabin and a number of state-rooms. The cabin is commodious, being 14 by 15 feet with a ceiling eight feet high. It is handsomely decorated and furnished and the broad seats along the sides may be converted into bunks if the occasion requires. There are three large staterooms, one of them double and the other two single ones, off from the main cabin, while in the stern are two double staterooms and another single one. These latter are used by the crew. Numerous portholes light the rooms below deck. The after deck is the usual rallying place for the cruising parties on board the Idler and it is furnished with wicker chairs and tables, while handsome rugs cover the deck.

Employes' Outing.

The employes of the Pittsburgh Dry-goods Company will hold their fourth annual outing and basket picnic at Aliquippa park on Saturday, July 18. Arrangements have been made for a delightful day. The Great Eastern orchestra and the Pennsylvania State orchestra will play both afternoon and evening for dancing, which will continue from 2 until 10 o'clock. Various athletic events will be held on the baseball grounds at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon which will be open to all. A baseball game is announced for 3:30 o'clock between the Pittsburgh Drygoods Company and the Iwers Athletics.

Trains will leave Pittsburgh at 1.10 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon (city time), returning at 10 o'clock in the evening (city time).

Flower Day at the Playgrounds.

Every child who left the summer playgrounds and the vacation schools yesterday at noon carried home a little bunch of flowers, some of them simple field flowers and others the cultivated garden flowers. Flower day is a very attractive feature of the work which the Joint Committee of Women's clubs is doing among the city children in establishing playgrounds and vacation schools during the hot summer weeks. The work of providing flowers in sufficient quantities for 3,500 children is no small task and involves a great deal of hard work for the flower committee, which met yesterday at 8 o'clock at the Central Young Women's Christian association. Flowers began to arrive at that hour and within an hour and a half the committee found it would have enough of blossoms to give several to every child in the playgrounds. The women worked with a will and skilful fingers fashioned the flowers into small bouquets of several each, which were sent to the different school buildings where the playgrounds and schools were in operation. For three hours they worked without cessation and rapidly depleted the great pile of flowers which had been sent in to them by lovers of flowers and children who were interested in the work which was to be done.

The distribution was made in the following manner: To the Forbes school were sent 400 small bouquets, the O'Hara received 220, the Monongahela 110, Riverside school 155, Ralston school 350, Soho school 250, Columbian Council school 215, and the Twelfth ward school, Allegheny, 311. Flowers were provided for the children in the Grant school by a committee of women in charge there.

The general flower committee consists of Miss Eliza D. Armstrong, chairman; Mrs. H. A. Lineaweaver, Mrs. Omar Scott Decker, Mrs. John Cowles, Mrs. Albert Hamilton, Miss Marie Hemmick, Miss Alice Eaton, Miss Allee Biggert, Miss Martha Biggert, Miss Eleanor Watson, Miss Dorothea Chess and Miss Charlotte Schwartz.

Adams—Gasaway.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Adams in Finance street, East End, on Tuesday, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jone Madge Adams, and John W. Gasaway. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. E. McCulloch, pastor of the Hamilton Avenue United Presbyterian church. Only the immediate relatives were in attendance at the wedding. After a trip to the lakes Mr. and Mrs. Gasaway will live in Homewood.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth B. Patterson of Buena Vista street, Allegheny, and Harry W. Bergoine of this city is announced. The wedding will take place in the early fall.

Notes of Society.

Miss Edna Silverman of Pittsburgh is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Silverman, at Eden Brae, Bar Harbor, Maine.

Miss Ida Hartman left last night for Chambersburg, Pa., where she will spend a couple of weeks with her parents.

The fifth annual outing for the cash boys and wrappers in Jos. Horne Co.'s store will be held this afternoon at Aliquippa park.

The Sunday school and congregation of the Fourth Avenue Baptist church will hold their annual picnic on Tuesday, July 21, at Aliquippa.

Mrs. Thomas O'Connell of Montreal, accompanied by her daughters, Miss Irene and Miss Parmi O'Connell, and her sister, Miss Lillian McAtee, are visiting their cousins, the Misses Stack, in Main street, West End.

Mrs. John S. Van Voorhis of Hay street, Wilkinsburg, left Thursday for Atlantic City, where she will remain for a few weeks as the guest of Mrs. I. S. Van Voorhis of that city.

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75C—SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS—75C
This Is an Advertising Price.
GERBER CARRIAGE CO., 19-27 Fifth St.

FOR SALE—Several second-hand runabouts at your own price at Thurbon's, Federal and Montgomery ave., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Two pair fine carriage and driving horses; several single driving and saddle horses, at Thurbon's, Federal st. and Montgomery ave., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—One carload of Kentucky pit and draught mules. M. K. Gregg, Imperial, Pa.

Sewing Machines.

CLEARANCE SALE—In all makes of sewing machines. CARTER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY, 131 Sixth st., next to Bijou theater.

Pianos.

ANSWER this advertisement and we will tell you how you can secure a piano absolutely free. Address C 68, The Gazette.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE.

Cheap; peanut roaster and popcorn popper combined; only used short time; also handsome cigar case and six-foot counter show case. See YODER & YODER, Yoder Law building, Fifth and Wylie ave. F. & A. telephone 2151 M.

FOR SALE—Bargains in new and second-hand office furniture. Entrance, Alexander, Baker & Co., Ltd., 808 Wood st.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3821 Butler st. Both telephones.

PERSONAL.

A CAREFUL SELECTION OF IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC WOOLENS ENABLES US TO OFFER TO THE TRADE EXCELLENT VALUES IN MEN'S SUITINGS AT $7.50, $10, $12, $15. ABRAM'S, 964 LIBERTY ST.

PERSONAL—Do you know a good painter? If so, have him do your work; if not, send for P. J. BYRNE. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best material. 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones. 711 Forbes st.

BATHS, bench, oven, massage and all other forms of treatment. NEW SANITARIUM, 43 Marion st.

MADAME DUVAL, Pittsburgh's most reliable scientific palmist, can be seen at 328 Penn ave., for engagements for private readings.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3821 Butler st. Both telephones.

PERSONAL—Baths, manicuring. Elsie Mills, 800 Penn ave., second floor.

MISS LAURA CLIFTON, manicure, 810 Fourth ave., near Grant st.

DIVIDEND.

DIVIDEND NO 5—4 per cent, semi-annual.
Rund Manufacturing Company, makers of "Rund" Instantaneous Automatic Water Heaters.
At a meeting of the board of directors held July 7, 1903, a dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT was declared out of the earnings of the company during the six months period ending June 30, 1903.
R. C. FRAMPTON, Secy. and Treas.

Western Insurance Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., July 10, 1903.
DIVIDEND NO. 102—Notice of the company have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS ($1.50) PER SHARE out of the profits of the company. Checks will be mailed to stockholders. D. DALLAS HARE,
Secretary.

United States Steel Corporation.
DIVIDEND—Quarterly dividend No. 9 of ONE AND THREE-QUARTERS PER CENT on the preferred stock, payable August 15, 1903, was declared July 7, to stockholders of record July 21. Transfer books close at 3 p. m. July 21, and reopen at 10 a. m., August 17.
RICHARD TRIMBLE, Secretary.

Monongahela Insurance Co.,
225 Fourth Avenue.
Pittsburgh, July 9, 1903.
DIVIDEND—The parties and directors of this company have this day declared a dividend of TWENTY AND ONE-HALF PER CENT on the capital stock of this company, payable forthwith.
W. E. REIPENYDER, Secretary.

Pittsburgh Insurance Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., July 7th, 1903.
DIVIDEND NO. 91—The board of directors of this company have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FOUR DOLLARS ($4) per share, payable forthwith. Checks will be mailed. R. J. MONTGOMERY,
Secretary.

NOTICES.

No. 6906.
Treasury Department.
Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., June 1, 1903.
Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Industrial National bank of Pittsburg," located in the city of Pittsburg, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking now, therefore, William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The Industrial National bank of Pittsburg," located in the city of Pittsburg, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section 5169, of the revised statutes of the United States. In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, this first day of June, 1903.
(Signed) WM. B. RIDGELY,
(Seal.)
Comptroller of the Currency.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED proposals will be received at the office of William Edward Snaman, architect, 918 Empire building, until July 16 at 3 p. m., for the alterations, additions and plumbing to be installed in the Ninth ward public school building, Wilkins st., Allegheny, Pa. Each proposal to be accompanied by a bond, with two sureties, probated before a notary of a trust company bond, for the full amount of proposal. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals. C. E. Woods, secretary.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE—Bids will be received for the erection of a three-story steel and brick storehouse, 80x104 feet, until July 18. Plans and specifications can be seen at our office and with Wild & Rogers, architects, Monongahela, Pa. Hammond, Berkey & Co., Bolivar, Pa.

LOST.

LOST—Pair of spectacles in Hazelwood ave.; reward if left at The Gazette.

FOUND.

TO ARCHITECTS AND OTHERS WHO know lettering and signs in keeping with architecture, or from design, by P. J. Byrne, painter, 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones.

FOUND—I can ride free on the street cars by using my merchant for street car trading stamps.

DECTECTIVE AGENCIES.

M'SWEENEY Interstate Detective Agency, 427 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa., transacts a general detective business; all communications treated strictly confidential.

PATENTS.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 305 Smithfield st., opposite Postoffice.

OFFICIAL—AVALON.

OFFICIAL—BOROUGH OF AVALON.
SEALED proposals are requested from general contractors for the cost of brick and stone borough hall, to be erected at the corner of California ave. and School st., Avalon, Pa. Blue prints and specifications may be had at the office of Mr. Nirdlinger, architect, 909 Fitzsimon's bldg., 331 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, on and after Wednesday noon, July 1, 1903. Bids close July 16, at 4 p. m. Said bids to be in office of architect on or before the above time and date.
E. E. CUSTARD,
Borough Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES.

H. H. NEGLEY, Attorney-at-Law, 413 Grant street, Pittsburg, Pa. In the incorporation of the borough of Whitaker, Allegheny county, Pa., No. 71 March sessions, A. D. 1903. Notice is hereby given that the petition of George Delbridge, Gustave Kaiser, Jacob Pfirrmann, Henry Vost, E. J. Williams and one hundred and thirteen other petitioners, constituting a majority of the resident freeholders in the town of Whitaker, in Mifflin township, Allegheny county, state of Pennsylvania, was presented in the court of quarter sessions on Thursday, May 28, A. D. 1903, for the incorporation of said village into a borough, by the title of the borough of Whitaker, according to the following boundaries: Beginning at the low water mark or line on the southern side of the Monongahela river at the northeasterly corner of the property of W. S. B. Hays and the said Monongahela river, in the township of Mifflin, county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania; thence, extending south 36 degrees 30 minutes west, 250 feet to the center of the new township road; thence along the center line of said road south 28 degrees, east 80 feet; thence along the center line of same road south 46 degrees, 30 minutes east, 960 feet; thence continuing along the center line of said road 83 degrees, 30 minutes east, 170 feet; thence south 4 degrees, 40 minutes east, 400 feet to a point in the center line of said road; thence south 67 degrees 30 minutes west, 1,320 feet, along Schwab avenue to center of old township road, now known as Whitaker street; thence south 70 degrees, 45 minutes west, 648.45 feet to a post; thence south 35 degrees, 15 minutes east, 80.10 feet to a post; thence south 63 degrees, 15 minutes west, 1,922.25 feet; thence south 31 degrees, 45 minutes east, 1,306.8 feet to a point; thence

EASTERN STOCKS WERE VERY WEAK

Some of the High Grade Investment Securities Sold at the Lowest Prices of the Year—Bank Statement Forecast.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

Early in the session yesterday Wall street abandoned the theory that the decline in New York Central the day before was the result of a "bear" raid. The conviction forced itself upon the street that liquidation had been resumed, and that whatever the real cause proved to be, high grade investment securities were being thrown upon the market. The volume of business materially increased, and large blocks of the standard issues were sold, suggesting that loans were being liquidated by leaders. Efforts were made to trace the selling to its source, but nothing more substantial than rumor developed, and several names were mentioned of "big men" who were supposed to be responsible for underwritings which the public refused to take and which required the sacrifice of good securities to take care of those which were unmarketable. In the early part of the day New York Central and United States Steel bore the brunt of the selling. New York Central sold down to 118, a new low mark on this movement, and United States Steel common declined to its previous low point. The rest of the market declined about 1 per cent on the average. Just before the noon hour there was a slight rally, but the advance brought a flood of selling orders which carried prices lower than before. United States Steel common sold down to 28, the lowest of the year, and the preferred declined to 79¼. Pennsylvania broke to 123, the low price established on the 26th ult., the day before the payment of the first installment on the new stock. St. Paul broke to 147¾, the lowest in more than two years. Northwest sold down to 167½, or within a point of the lowest of the year. Louisville & Nashville, Baltimore & Ohio, Union Pacific, Illinois Central and Atchison declined from 1 to 2 per cent. The lower-priced issues sympathized with the weakness in the leaders and averaged 1½2 per cent lower. There was heavy selling of Reading and the Erie, and Delaware & Hudson broke from 172 to 169. In the industrial list Amalgamated Copper declined to 51⅝, or within a fraction of the lowest of the year, and the metal was lower in both foreign and domestic markets. Pressed Steel Car, Tennessee Coal and Iron and Colorado Fuel and Iron were also weak and lower. The lowest prices of the day were made around 2 o'clock. About this time Statistician Snow of Chicago, a recognized crop expert, issued his estimate of the average condition of corn on July 1, placing the figures at 81.7. This being about 5 points above the guesses of some of the trade, was construed as bullish on the crop-carrying roads at least, and a slight recovery set in. The strongest stocks in the rally, however, were United States Steel common and preferred, the common rising to 28¾ and the preferred to 80. The recovery in the general list was only ⅛ to 1¼ per cent—no more than might be expected from covering of shorts after such a large decline. The sales for the day were 821,000 shares.

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There is no special explanation yet forthcoming for the somewhat sudden resumption of liquidation. The kind of stocks that suffered the most, and the character of the selling indicated that the liquidation was not for account of the ordinary trader, but that some large interests were selling. The ordinary trader would be influenced by crop news, and the latter probably had something to do with the general weakness and hesitation that has been a conspicuous feature of the market all week; but the general impression prevails that the selling of the past two days has been for account of persons or corporations who may be influenced by monetary considerations. Regarding New York Central, the rumor was repeated yesterday that the company had borrowed $18,000,000 for a long period at 6 per cent, because of inability to sell new securities to provide means for improvements. The only comment on this and other rumors by officials of the company was to the effect that nothing will be done in the matter of financing the company's improvements during the absence of President Newman, who will not return until September. Aside from corporation borrowing, Wall street has been made to feel uncomfortable by the heavy gold exports this week and the cessation of receipts of currency from the interior. An additional $250,000 was engaged yesterday for export today, bringing the total for the week up to $6,800,000. This loss has been only partially offset by the receipt of Klondike gold at the Pacific coast and the transfer of the same to New York. Today's bank statement, therefore, is expected to make an unfavorable showing. The preliminary estimates of the week's movement of currency place the loss at $500,000. A large contraction in loans, which ordinarily might be expected after the semi-annual settlements that have been in progress during the past week, with a corresponding reduction in deposits which would reduce reserve liabilities, would tend to maintain the surplus reserve, even in the event of a loss in actual cash; but the bank statements recently have been "illogical" and wholly at variance with operations in the stock market and the known movements of money.

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The government crop report, which is given in full in another column, did not appear until after the market had closed. It is fully as unfavorable as the previous estimates, showing the lowest average condition of corn ever reported on July 1, and a considerable reduction in the acreage. The condition of winter wheat is lower than it was a month ago, but slightly higher than at the corresponding period last year. Spring wheat is the lowest since the partial failure of the crop of 1900, and the average condition of oats is lower than last month or last year. These figures may be seized upon by the bears today to still further depress the market for stocks, but it should not be forgotten that so far as the condition of corn is concerned, there has been a vast improvement within the past 10 days since the government's figures were compiled.

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In the local stock market yesterday some weakness appeared in the steel stocks at the opening, in sympathy with the movement in the east. Crucible Steel common sold down to 13⅝ and the preferred sold below 80, but the common made a strong recovery in the final dealings and closed at a net gain of ¼ per cent for the day. United States Steel common declined to 28¼ and the preferred to 79½, and both recovered a fraction. Westinghouse Electric was weak, declining 1⅛ points to 92, and closing at 91 bid. Airbrake was unchanged at 135. There were no transactions in Union Switch and Signal. Pittsburgh Coal common was weak and lower, selling down to 26¾, while the preferred held steady and unchanged. Philadelphia Company common was weak, declining 2 points to 40½. The remainder of the industrial list was dull and barely steady. The only important change in the banking group was the decline of 10 points in Diamond Savings to 210. The bond market was dull and unchanged.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 4,044 shares stock, $1,000 bond, 20 warrants and 101 rights. Sales:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

10 Phila. Co....	42½	$1000 P., McK. & Y. Con. 5s....	94½
250 Pgh. Coal...	27½	15 Fire P. pfd..	86½
30 do.....	27½	25 R. Coal pfd.	83½
*20 H.-W. P. pf	63	50 U. S. Steel..	28¾
80 Home Tr...141		10 do.....	28¾
20 G.A.S. & T.165		10 do.....	28⅝
10 do.....165		100 do.....	28⅝
20 U. S. S. pfd 80		10 do.....	28⅝
5 Second N.B.$271½		50 Switch rts..	¼
10 Crucible pfd 80		21 do.....	¼
10 do.....	80	120 Crucible Stl	13⅞
10 do.....	80	40 do.....	13⅝
10 do.....	80		

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

15 Phila. Co....	41½	10 U. S. Stl pfd..	79½
20 do.....	41¼	100 do.....	79½
20 do.....	40½	100 do.....	79¾
15 Home Trust...	141	50 do.....	79⅝
5 do.....	141	4 do.....	79⅝
100 M., L. & H....	38½	5 U. S. Steel...	28¼
10 do.....	38¼	10 do.....	28¼
25 P. Coal pfd..	86½	100 do.....	28⅜
25 do.....	86⅜	50 do.....	28⅜
20 W. Airbrake..135		50 do.....	28½
25 R. Coal pfd..	88½	50 do.....	28¾
20 Crucible.....	13⅜	5 Crucible pfd..	79⅜
100 do.....	13⅜	5 do.....	79½
50 do.....	13⅜	100 do.....	79¾
10 do.....	13⅜	10 do.....	79⅞
10 do.....	13¾	25 do.....	79⅞
100 Pgh. Coal...	27	100 P. S. Car pfd.	86
100 do.....	27	10 G. A. S. & T..	165
10 do.....	27	50 Ohio Fuel...	41
5 U. S. Stl pfd.	80	25 Elec. var., $30	41¼
50 do.....	79⅜	5 do.....	41¾
40 do.....	79⅜		

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

50 Electric 2ds...	92	10 U. S. Stl pfd..	79½
40 do.....	92	15 do.....	79½
100 U. S. Steel...	28⅛	5 do.....	79⅝
100 do.....	28⅛	10 Crucible pfd..	79¾
30 do.....	28⅜	5 do.....	79⅞
50 do.....	28¾	60 Pgh. Coal.....	26¾
15 A. Val. pfd...	84	100 Fire P. pfd....	86½
50 U. S. Stl pfd.	79½		

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

20 Brewing.....	32¼	15 Crucible pfd..	79⅝
10 W. Airbrake..135		80 Diamond N. B.210	
1 P. Coal pfd...	87½	10 do.....210	
7 do.....	87	25 do.....210	
50 River Coal...	10⅝	5 do.....210	
10 Lincoln N. B.247½		5 do.....210	
50 U. S. Steel...	28¼	11 Electric 2ds...	92
15 Crucible pfd..	79⅜	50 U. S. Stl pfd..	79½
35 do.....	79⅜	50 do.....	79½
25 do.....	79⅜	100 do.....	79½
10 do.....	79⅜	200 Crucible....	14¼

*Cash. †Ex-dividend.

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'gs.
15 Ally. Val. pfd..	26	26	26	0
20 Brewing com...	32¼	32¼	32¼	+¼
640 Crucible Steel.	14¼	13⅝	14¼	+¼
300 Do preferred.	80	*79½	79⅝	−⅛
115 Fire Proof pfd.	86½	86½	86½	0
220 H.-W. M. pfd.	65	65	65	0
170 M., L. & Heat.	38½	38⅛	38½	0
50 Ohio Fuel Sup.	41	41	41	0
65 Phila. Co. com.	42¼	40½	40½	−2
670 Pgh. Coal.....	27¼	26¾	26¾	−1⅛
55 Do preferred.	87½	86⅞	87	0
100 P. S. Car pfd..	86	86	86	−¾
50 River Coal.....	10	10⅛	10⅝	+⅛
50 River Coal pfd..	38½	38¼	38¼	−¼
850 U. S. Steel...	28¾	28¼	28¼	−⅜
860 Do preferred.	80	79½	79¾	−⅛
70 W. Airbrake...	153	153	153	0
101 W. Elec.....	92	92	92	−1½
125 Diamond S. B.	210	210	210	−10
40 G. A. S. & T..	165	165	165	0
70 Home Trust...	141	141	141	−1
10 Lincoln N. B..	247½	247½	247½	0
5 Second N. B..	271½	271½	271½	−2½
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BONDS.

$1000 P., McK. & Y. 5s	94½	94½	94½	0

WARRANTS.

30 W. E., $30 pd	41¼	41¼	41¼	0

RIGHTS.

101 Union Switch	¼	¼	¼	0

*Less than 10 shares. †Cash. ‡Ex-dividend.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Bank Stocks.			
Bank of Pittsburgh	50	130	.....
Diamond National	100	450	.....
Duquesne National	100	200	.....
Exchange National	50	.....	93
Federal National	100	166	177
Second National	100	.....	830
Traders & Mechanics	50	.....	78
Western Savings & Deposit	50	.....	122

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
Consolidated Ice Co.	50	.....	10
Do preferred	50	.....	33
Monon. River Coal & Coke	50	10⅜	.....
Do preferred	50	38¼	39
Pittsburgh Brewing Co.	50	.....	32½
Do preferred	50	.....	47½
Pittsburgh Coal Co.	100	26¾	26⅞
Do preferred	100	86⅜	87½
Pgh. Stove & Ranges pfd.	50	16½	.....
United States Steel Co.	100	.....	28¾
Do preferred	100	79⅜	80

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Pass. Ry. & Traction.			
Monongahela Street Ry. 5s	1928	.....	110½
Miscellaneous.			
Monon. River Coal & Coke 6s	1949	113½	.....
Philadelphia Company 5s	1949	110	.....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1949	.....	112

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The dealings in the local stock market were better distributed yesterday and although the tone of the market was heavy during the greater part of the day, prices held better than might have been expected, considering the continued tightness of money. With the disbursement of the dividends by the several Westinghouse companies, and the similar payments to be made within the next few days by other corporations, there should be some relief to the local money market this month.

The Western Insurance Company of Pittsburgh has declared a semi-annual dividend of $1.50 a share.

The Rund Manufacturing Company of Pittsburgh has declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent.

A block of 100 shares Pressed Steel Car preferred changed hands on the local board yesterday at 86, a decline of 3¼ per cent from the last previous sale. This stock is seldom dealt in on the local market, although at one time it was an active favorite with traders.

A small lot of Harbison-Walker preferred sold at 65 cash, being unchanged from the last previous sale.

While Pittsburgh Coal common declined 1 per cent to 26¾ on the marketing of 600 shares, the preferred held steady and unchanged at 87, only 58 shares changing hands. River coal common was steady at 10⅜ and the preferred a fraction lower at 38¾.

German American Savings & Trust sold at 165 and that price was bid at the close.

A small lot of Second National bank of Pittsburgh changed hands at 827½, a decline of 2½ from the last previous sale. Lincoln National bank sold unchanged at 247½.

Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville 5s sold again at 94½, the low price established earlier in the week.

Natural gas stocks were very dull yesterday, but Philadelphia Company common declined 2 points on the marketing of less than 100 shares.

A year or so ago an argument for the advance of any particular stock in Wall street was that it was selling below other stocks of its class. Today the reasoning is reversed, and a stock that has not kept pace with the decline is said to be too high. Canadian Pacific, a 5 per cent stock, was yesterday referred to as one of those which was selling too high compared with Pennsylvania, New York Central and other investment shares.

Boston had a report that negotiations were under way for the sale of 40,000,000 pounds of copper at 13⅜ cents to a large manufacturer. The price is ⅛ below the regular quotation for the same grade of metal.

The gross earnings of Missouri Pacific for the first week in July increased $61,000.

It is reported from Washington that western banks are being refused increased deposits by Secretary Shaw, on the ground that the surplus in the treasury must be increased to meet the expected canal payment.

Judge Grosscup in the United States circuit court at Chicago has decided that the 99-year franchise act is constitutional. This covers all the lines of Chicago Union Traction Company.

The Canadian minister of finance has submitted a resolution under the terms of which it is proposed to give a bounty of $6 a ton on wire rods sold to manufacturers of wire. On large steel plates now admitted at a low duty, there will be a bounty of $3 a ton on such made in Canada. The same bounty is proposed for structural steel. On steel ingots, puddled bars and pig iron, it is proposed to give the same bounty as last year, the gradual reduction which began last year being suspended for this year. Under the gradual reduction the bounty will be off by 1907. It is also proposed to pay a bounty on binder twine equal to the export duty exacted in the Philippines on Manilla hemp. Under the new schedule of iron and steel bounties the Dominion Iron & Steel Company is expected to receive over $1,000,000 against $350,000 last year. The entire schedule is considered particularly favorable to Dominion Iron, in fact it is so arranged that other Canadian steel and iron industries, including the Clergue works, are benefited only in a small degree. It is understood that the restriction by which it is necessary to use at least 50 per cent of Canadian pig in order to get the benefit of bounties will somewhat block the plans of Sir Edmund Osler, of Toronto, Ont., although it will also work against the use of Newfoundland iron by the Dominion Iron Company.

Gossip on the New York board had it that there has been further liquidation owing to loans being called on a prominent steel official. The impression on the floor also was that the Gould-Rockefeller people do not believe in buying stocks and that J. D. Rockefeller has been a very considerable seller.

"According to a personal friend of J. Pierpont Morgan that financier is extremely sensitive over the criticisms which have recently been made of the International Mercantile Marine. The English critics have been very bitter in their attacks upon Mr. Morgan, and their criticisms are said to have hurt him much more than Wall street has imagined. There is no doubt but that Morgan will do his best now to keep the prestige abroad which he did a year ago. The International Mercantile Marine, which was organized with such a flourish of trumpets, has so far proved to be an absolute failure. The common and preferred stock of the company are now selling at almost receivership prices. Indeed, there has been talk for some little while that the company will be forced to undergo a reorganization. At the time of the organization of the International Mercantile Marine some very wild reports regarding the earning power of the new company were circulated abroad. While Mr. Morgan did not personally circulate these reports, they were generally credited as coming from him. It was owing solely to his prestige that the foreign bankers agreed to become members of the underwriting syndicate. The syndicate has proved a total failure and Morgan would find a great deal of difficulty at the present time in persuading any foreign banker to help finance any of his enterprises."—New York Commercial.

A prominent Wall street commission house expressed this view after the close of the market yesterday: "It has acted on the whole exactly in the same manner as it has on all the previous declines for the last nine months, that is, the selling pressure has relaxed just as soon as the market looks as if it would break badly or become demoralized. It is probable that as soon as the market steadies itself the pressure will be renewed."

The New York stock exchange did as much business in the first two hours of the session as was done during the entire session of the previous day, which was in turn more than twice as much as the average for the month.

Stocks of the subsidiary Vanderbilt companies, which are seldom dealt in, suffered wide declines. Lake Erie & Western preferred losing 9, Cleveland, Columbus, Chicago & St. Louis and Peoria & Eastern, 6¼, and Canada Southern 2½ points. Chicago & Northwestern also suffered a 2½-point decline and the preferred 3. Some of the other notable declines among high grade investment stocks, such as Jersey Central, which lost 6, Delaware & Hudson, 5⅜, Lackawanna and American Express 5, and Pullman 3¾.

The first effective rally of the day came after the publication of estimates of the weekly cash changes, which showed an excess of receipts over shipments on the interior movement of over $3,000,000. This is large—than the $2,758,000 loss on sub-treasury operations, thus indicating a small net cash gain from the interior. The gold shipments of $2,600,000, however, do not figure in this estimate. The large receipts on balance from the interior were a decided surprise in view of the movement of the interior exchange markets. These preliminary estimates, it might be remarked, have of late been very wide of the official figures.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remained firm and unchanged at 5⅛@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$7,131,729 93	$1,982,766 93
Last week	9,041,459 31	1,676,147 50
Last year	7,011,256 18	977,799 78

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Money on call steady at 2¾@3½ per cent; closing, 2¾@3 per cent; time money steady; 60 days, 3½ per cent; 90 days, 4 per cent; six months, 5 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87.20@4 87.25 for demand and at $4 84.70@4 84.80 for 60-day bills; posted rates, $4 85½@4 86 and $4 88½. Commercial bills, $4 84¾@4 84¾; bar silver, 53c; Mexican dollars, 41¾c; government bonds steady; railroad bonds weak.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $208,414,341; gold, $102,209,166; silver, $29,102,048; United States notes, $10,667,703; treasury notes of 1890, $51,492; national bank notes, $14,427,976; total receipts this day, $2,-109,965, of which this month, $14,131,854; total receipts this year, $18,181,834; total expenditures this day, $2,880,000; total expenditures this month, $25,380,000; total expenditures this year, $23,380,000; deposits in national banks, $104,880,288.

Banks and Treasury.

NEW YORK, July 10.—(Special.)—Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,855,000; payment by banks to government, $3,000,000; balance on the day's transactions, $270,000, paid by banks to government.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., July 10.—Spirits turpentine steady, 47½c. Rosin, nothing doing. Crude turpentine firm, $1 75, $3 00 and $3 25. Tar firm, $1 65.

SAVANNAH, GA., July 10.—Turpentine firm, 47¾c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, $1 55; D, $1 60; E, $1 65; F, $1 70; G, $1 75; H, $2 25; I, $2 65; K, $2 80; M, $2 90; N, $3 00; WG, $3 10; WW, $3 20.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 10.—Turpentine steady, 46¾c. Rosin steady.

Another Gold Export.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Baring, Magoun & Co. today engaged $350,000 in gold for shipment to Europe tomorrow, and Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co. increased their engagement to $1,250,000, making a total of $2,600,000 engaged for shipment tomorrow.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $7,131,759, an increase of $150,000.

Stock market was less active and prices averaged lower.

Crucible Steel common declined to 13⅝ and recovered to 14¼ at the close.

United States Steel common declined to 28¼ and the preferred to 79½.

Westinghouse Electric declined to 92 and closed at 91 bid.

Diamond Savings Bank sold at 210, a decline of 10 points.

IN WALL STREET.

United States Steel touched lowest point this year—28; close was 28⅝.

New York Central dropped to 118 the lowest price in five years.

Pennsylvania sold down to its previous record of 123.

Gold shipments aggregating $2,600,000 have been engaged for today.

St. Paul established a new low record for year at 147⅞.

Bonds were weak in sympathy with stocks. Total sales (par value), $2,-130,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade:

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
113700	A., T. & S. F....	66⅜	66¾	64⅝	65⅛
2700	Do preferred....	91⅝	91⅝	90¾	90¾
	Am. Cotton Oil..	36	36	36	35¾
	Do preferred....				90
2450	A. Sugar Ref....	118⅜	119	117⅜	118⅜
	Do preferred....				119
900	Am. Locomotive..	22	22	21	21⅜
325	Do preferred....	88¼	88⅝	88¼	88½
1600	*A. Car Foundry.	36	36	35	35
	Do preferred....				87½
	American Can....				5
	Do preferred....				41½
99100	Amal. Copper....	82⅜	82⅝	81¾	81⅞
1160	Atchison & Topeka	82¼	82¼	82	82
810	A. Smelt. & Ref.	44⅛	45	44⅜	44⅝
	Do preferred....	92¾	92¾	92¾	90
	American Ice....	7	7	7	7½
	Do preferred....	20	20	20	23½
23100	Baltimore & Ohio	84⅝	84⅝	83	83⅞
	Do preferred....				83½
9696	Brooklyn R. T....	36¼	36¾	34⅝	35
20950	Canadian Pacific.	125	125⅜	121¼	122⅜
4270	Chi. Great West.	18⅜	18⅜	17⅜	17⅜
5700	Consolidated Gas.	190½	190½	188½	189¼
700	C. C. C. & St. L.	83	83	80½	82¾
2440	Chesa. & Ohio....	37	38	36¾	36¾
2200	Chicago & Alton.	26⅜	26⅜	26	26⅛
520	Do preferred....	66¾	67	66¼	67
1400	Chicago & Nw....	169¾	169¾	167½	167½
3800	Cen. Pack. Iron..	122¾	123⅜	121¼	122¾
	Corn Products....	29⅝	29⅝	29	29⅜
	Do preferred....	80¼	80¼	80¼	79½
220	Col. Southern....	17	17	16⅜	16
450	Do 1st pfd.....	35¼	35¼	34¼	34¼
150	Do 2d pfd.....	26¼	26¼	26⅛	26¼
200	D., L. & W.....	251½	251½	251	250
2900	Del. & Hudson....	172	172	169	169¼
2400	Erie.....	35¾	35¾	34¾	34⅝
6800	Do 1st pfd.....	68¾	68¾	68	68⅜
6770	Do 2d pfd.....	56	56	55	55⅝
500	General Electric.	173¼	173¼	172	173
1150	Hocking Valley...	85	85¼	84½	84½
200	Do preferred....	88¼	88¼	88¼	88½
1671	Illinois Central..	132½	132¾	131½	131½
100	Iowa Central.....	26½	26½	26½	26⅜
	Do preferred....				44
250	Internat. Paper..	14¾	14¾	14¼	14¼
100	Do preferred....	68	68	68	68
	Internat. Power..				47⅞
	L. E. & W.....	51	51	50	50½
	Do preferred....	103	103	101	101
3000	Louis. & Nash....	109½	109½	108¾	108¾
4207	Manhattan.....	135⅝	135⅝	134⅜	135⅝
39650	Missouri Pacific.	102	102	101½	101½
500	N. Y. C. & H. pfd.	147¼	147¼	146	146
4000	Metropolitan.....	120⅝	120⅝	119⅝	120
	Mexican Central..	21¾	21¾	20⅞	21⅛
350	National Lead....	16½	16½	16½	16¼
	Do preferred....				103
250	National Biscuit..	39	39	38⅝	38¾
	Do preferred....				99
32675	N. Y. Central....	121¼	121¼	118	119
	N. Y., O. & W....	24½	24½	23¾	23¾
4480	N. Y. O. & W....	25	25	24¼	24⅝
6525	Norfolk & West..	65	65½	64⅝	65⅛
	Do preferred....				90
500	North American..	84½	85	83	83
	Omaha.....				120
2680	Peoples Gas.....	98	98	97¼	97½
	Pressed Steel Car				38
430	Pullman.....				205
610	P. S. Car.....	51	51⅝	50½	50½
840	Do preferred....	80½	80½	80	80
48700	Penna. R. R.....	124½	124½	123	123⅝
	P., C. & St. L....				70
	Do preferred....				98½
	Railway Springs..				27½
	Do preferred....				86
84000	Reading.....	50	50	48⅝	49¼
700	Do 1st pfd.....	82½	82½	81¾	82¼
700	Do 2d pfd.....	69	69	68	68
22725	Rock Island.....	23¾	24¼	23½	23⅝
200	Do preferred....	71	71¼	70¾	70¾
1400	Republic Iron....	13½	13⅝	13	13
400	Do preferred....	74	74	73¼	74
	St. L. & S. F....				70
	Do 1st pfd.....				90
200	Do 2d pfd.....	60¼	60¼	60¼	60¼
19710	Southern Pacific.	48¾	48⅝	46½	47⅜
3090	South. Railway...	25½	25¾	24¾	25
400	Do preferred....	87½	87½	86⅝	87
45810	St. Paul.....	149¾	149¾	147⅞	148⅛
	Do preferred....				175
870	St. L. & S. W....	16	16	15¾	15¾
400	Do preferred....	37½	37½	34½	36
8200	Tenn. Coal & I..	49⅜	49⅝	48⅝	49
1800	Texas & Pacific..	28	28	27	27¾
200	T. St. L. & W....	24⅜	26⅜	24⅜	25⅜
500	Do preferred....	45	45	42½	42½
65115	U. S. Steel.....	28¾	28⅞	28	28⅝
11128	Do preferred....	79⅛	80	78¾	79¾
61900	Union Pacific....	91	91⅜	87⅝	88⅛
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BROKERS WELCOME TRACK REMOVAL

They Predict Great Change in Liberty Avenue and Boom in Prices.

HOUSES FOR EDGEWOOD

South Side Sale of $60,000—Pittsburgh Gained 56 Per Cent in Building in June—Big Town Site in Perrysville Nearly Done.

The next boom in downtown real estate is likely to be in Liberty avenue. A big majority of the leading brokers in the city are practically agreed upon two things, judging by their hearty utterances yesterday, namely, that the passage of the Duquesne way ordinance taking the Pennsylvania railroad tracks off Liberty avenue is the best thing that ever happened to the business district of Pittsburgh, and that if the ordinance is passed finally, as now seems certain, there will result a rapid and legitimate advance in Liberty avenue values. They regard the tracks as the direct cause of the lack of activity in real estate on this street compared with other downtown thoroughfares and welcome this measure as the most feasible way of ridding the city of a standing menace to its growth.

Liberty avenue, the only 80 foot street in downtown Pittsburgh, should be, from its location, the best business street also. Between Fourth and Tenth street there is about two-thirds frontage open, bit of which is well located grass and vines. Prior to two years ago this was worth on an average about $2,000 a foot. Today, in anticipation of the proposed removal of the tracks, the price has gone up to an average of $3,500 a foot for the entire six squares. As soon as the ordinance becomes a law, or at farthest as soon as work actually begins on the improvement, brokers predict that values in this limit will advance from 25 to 50 per cent within a year, and the more sanguine say that $10,000 a foot will be paid for frontage near Sixth and Seventh streets within three years.

Will Become a Retail Street.

In the opinion of the best real estate men the character of the street will be largely changed, so that it will be a retail district exclusively. To accommodate retail business new and larger buildings will be necessary. Where a three or four-story building now rents for from $3,000 to $4,000 a year it is predicted that this amount will be gladly paid for the first floor of a building. With the widening of Virgin alley the territory between Sixth and Wood streets is sure to become the great retail center which its location warrants. It is the opinion of brokers that the tracks in values within two years after the tracks are removed will put at least $10,000,000 more on the city assessor's books, no small item in the city's revenue.

What effect the removal of the tracks to Duquesne way will have on that street is more a matter of conjecture. If the Pennsylvania railroad is not allowed to make its Duquesne way tracks a barrier to Allegheny it is thought that the street will be built up with warehouses. While it is not expected that values will increase to any such rate as in Liberty avenue, brokers say that with Duquesne way a warehouse street its value for that purpose would be considerably enhanced.

Exchange Deal of $104,900.

A dozen more good houses are assured for Edgewood from the closing of an exchange deal between C. C. Mellor and George W. Sherman. The deal was noted when the articles of agreement were signed. Mr. Sherman gives up 14 houses in five street and three houses in Lincoln avenue, which are valued at $84,000. He takes in part payment 380 feet of frontage in the south side of Lincoln avenue, near Swissvale avenue, which was put into the deal at $20,000, or $55 a foot. The plot is 120 feet deep and will be divided into 20-foot lots. There are to be improved with brick houses costing $8,000 each.

The sale is reported of the four-story hotel at the northwest corner of Carson and Twenty-second streets for $80,000. It was owned by John Schott and the buyer is a resident of Confluence. The lot measures 48x120 feet, so that the rate of sale is $1,250 a front foot. In view of the approach proposed for the Twenty-second street bridge and the park improvements planned for the Hilltop lot nearby, this corner should be one of the best on the street, and the property is considered reasonable at the price paid.

It develops that John K. Evans was the buyer of the residence at No. 5846 Bartlett street, Twenty-second ward, which was sold recently through H. A. Shaffer & Co. for $15,000. It belonged to Harry M. Gross and is a 12-room center-hall brick house on a lot 70x150 feet.

Gained 56 Per Cent in June.

Pittsburgh made a net gain of over 56 per cent in her building operations for June, as compared with a loss of 45 per cent reported from New York and 7 per cent from Chicago for the same month. The comparison is made with the record of June, 1902, which was one of the best summer months in the city's history. For the month just passed we had 663 permits for buildings authorized was $2,534,174, as against $1,684,791 for June, 1902. Of the permits granted 283 were for new buildings, 380 for additions and 100 for miscellaneous alterations and repairs. The June record places Pittsburgh third among the 25 large cities for that month. An average decrease of 10 per cent in building operations was reported from these cities, so that Pittsburgh's showing stands out conspicuous.

Bertha E. Kunkle has sold to Mathilda Tate a two-and-a-half-story brick residence property, 22.5x135.5 feet, in the south side of Bennett street, near Sterrett street, Twenty-first ward, for $14,000. She recently bought the entire plot from Alfred J. Hopkins for $28,000.

A. Z. Byers & Co. have closed the sale of the Knight residence at No. 172 Murray Hill avenue, Twenty-second ward, for $10,500. The buyer proves to be O. A. Williams, who takes the property for a home. The lot measures 50x160 feet.

Keating West View Almost Ready.

After four months of work, when hundreds of men and teams have been employed, the Allegheny-Bellevue Land Company is nearly ready to launch its first allotment at Keating West View, in the Perrysville district. From the first the project has been the most extensive lot proposition ever undertaken around Pittsburgh, and the tremendous task of changing farms into modern town sites with paved streets, sewerage, sidewalks, water and gas connections, has been a source of wonder to thousands of persons who have visited the spot. The initial sale is set for next Saturday. From the terms of the contract it is estimated that at least 100 people a day have visited the plan to seek out the most advantageous lots and inquiries by mail have been nearly as numerous. The Keating West View Land Company, of which Frederick Keating is president, has its sales agent, Alfred J. Hopkins, and Fred Keating, the general manager, on the ground. Aside from the fresh air and beautiful surroundings which are assured, the plan will have the advantage of the best water supply and sewerage in the city. By going up East street in Allegheny and thence by a straight route through the country, the run from Smithfield street will be made in only 25 minutes. The road will be double tracked all the way and will be laid with the famous T rail. Connection with the Riverview park line is made at the end of East street, and later it is expected to have a route to Bellevue.

Another fine allotment which will be launched today is the Sterrett place No. 2 at Crafton. The plan is only 15 minutes from the city and the lots are 40x150 feet. Extensive improvements have lately been made on the property under the direction of the agents, Bourke & Snyder.

New Quarters for the Goat.

The Masonic lodge of Wilkinsburg is said to have leased the Goehring building adjoining the Odd Fellows hall in Penn avenue for a new home. The second floor is to be added to the building, which is 42x73 feet in dimensions. The interior is to be elaborately decorated and the two upper floors will be used exclusively for lodge purposes.

Isadore Goldstein of the Fifth Avenue Realty Company has served notice that he is no longer a member of that company and has no interest in its business.

Lombard street—M. J. Ehrenfeld of the Consolidated Steel Company sold for the Rauch heirs to Mrs. Harriett Hepting a five-room brick house, lot 23x110, in Lombard street, for $2,500.

Transfers Recorded.

Mamhoff C H to J Bryan, Mch 24, '03, Brackenridge, 38x140, Walnut st	$	600	
Bew Wm to J Boris, June 20, '03, Brackenridge, 42x140, Railroad st		1,090	
White Alexander to Murphy, June 9, '03, 18th wd, Pgh, 50x96, Herold av		550	
Weisenberger Maria to D Selzer, July 8, '03, Neville twp, 22x100, Grand avenue		3,500	
Whitehill John W to J E Obits, June 20, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x93, Kedron ave		3,000	
Koether J Ludewig Jr to W C Solberger, June 1, '03, Sharpsburg, lot, Noble street		300	
Schmidt Henry W to W A McDonald, June 29, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, 27x120, Banker ave		6,100	
Valley Realty Co to H J Geyer, Mch 23, '03, Versailles twp, lot, Versailles ave		1,000	
Brown Edward C to H H Brown, June 8, '02, Glassport, 9 lots		1,150	
Hampton Land Co to A J Scott, May 8, '03, Wilkinsburg, 35x105, Hampton ave		1,600	
Brucker Wendal to W Dell, July 9, '03, Sharpsburg, lot, Main st		212	
Rosenblatt Louis to M Subletsky, June 1, '05, 7th wd, Pgh, 40x96, Federal st		10,000	
Mansfield J L to W H Porter, July 1, '03, Wilkinsburg, 20x94, Hunter st		3,200	
Davis G C to I D Johnston, May 18, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 40x178, Denniston ave		3,900	
Harmon Wm E to A Prack, June 24, '03, Chartiers twp, lot		300	
Figley Charles F to B F Jacks, June 25, '03, Clairton, lot, St Clair ave		315	
Pittsburgh Land Co to K Crumrine, June 6, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 50x186, Hobart st		10,500	
Same to G McCargo, June 8, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 99x290, Hobart st		12,000	
Same to Robt J Coyle Jr, June 8, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, lot, Murray ave		5,500	
Same to J H Palmer, June 6, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 75x141, Douglas st		5,250	
Same to R B Coyle, June 6, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 75x150, Hobart st		5,250	
Same to I N Burnett, June 8, '03, 22d wd, 75x150, Beacon Boulevard		5,250	
Hays Edgar V to J C Sander, June 30, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, lot, Dalzell ave		4,500	
Hallmett Cornelius to Connally, June 23, '03, N Versailles twp, 80x175, Spring ave		550	
Hamnett James H to J A Wilson, June 16, '03, Wilkinsburg, lot, Jeannette st		50	
Miller Elizabeth A to S E Gordon, June 23, '03, Bellevue, 50x150, Allegheny county		1,550	

*Balance paid in cash.

PIG IRON REACHES LOW IN PRESENT DECLINE

Steel Market Is Quiet Owing to Numerous Improvements at Mills.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 10.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Business again responds to improved conditions. Retail distribution of merchandise is accelerated by more seasonable weather and fewer labor controversies, while wholesale and jobbing trade, especially in the interior, shows the encouraging effect of brighter agricultural prospects. There is the customary excessive demand for farm hands. There is less than the usual midsummer idleness in manufacturing except in the cotton industry. Commodity prices advanced slightly during June.

Installation of new converters and other results of recent decline will soon be promptly felt in steel mills, which explain in part the quiet condition of the market. Bessemer pig, delivered at Pittsburgh, can be bought for $18.75, which is the lowest point thus far of the recent decline. Structural material is again an active feature, especially for large buildings and railway bridges at the west. Makers of agricultural implements and vehicles are liberal purchasers of bar iron. Tin and copper are again lower, the latter selling below the official quotation, which has been reduced to 14 cents.

As yet the cotton goods manufacture shows no improvement in response to fluctuations at the cotton exchange. Stocks of goods in dealers' hands have fallen low and sellers are insisting on high prices.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Pittsburgh Shows an Increase of 14.7 Per Cent Over Same Week Last Year.

NEW YORK, July 10.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended July 9, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

CITIES.		Per Cent Inc.	Per Cent Dec.
*New York	$1,199,252,139	4.20	....
*Chicago	153,895,821	11.5	....
*Boston	120,423,884	3.9	....
*Philadelphia	111,220,561	20.8	....
*St. Louis	42,743,727	....	2.6
Pittsburgh	42,008,875	14.7	....
Cincinnati	21,419,900	6.1	....
Cleveland	15,212,961	....	18.2
Baltimore	4,065,716	24.8	....
Detroit	1,878,904	28.1	....
Scranton	1,552,189	20.1	....
Wilkesbarre	1,245,310	77.3	....
Akron	676,200	....	4.5
Wheeling, W. Va.	940,244	24.1	....
Youngstown	645,854	....	18.6
Canton, O.	581,059	71.6	....
Greensburg, Pa.	451,074	2.8	....
Springfield, O.	388,104	2.6	....
Chester, Pa.	569,241	24.0	....
Mansfield, O.	228,026	....	....
Totals, U. S.	$1,977,864,777	7.0	....
Outside New York	778,611,638	11.6	....

*Balance paid in cash.

SUGAR QUOTATIONS ADVANCE TEN POINTS

Millers Put Flour Prices Higher. Canned Corn Very Scarce and Firm.

Following an advance made by eastern refiners local wholesale grocers yesterday put the price of sugar forward 10 points throughout the list. Demand for sugar has not yet been as it should be in July, but there is daily expectation of increased request. Retail grocers have been buying but sparingly for several months, and it is not unlikely the advanced prices will drive them to purchasing, as there will be fear of still higher quotations when the summer demand gets fairly under way.

Flour has been put forward by millers 10 cents a barrel, and some local jobbers have already followed the advance, while others are waiting to see if the advanced quotations are to be adopted by all dealers. General flour demand throughout the country for a week or ten days past has been very quiet, the dullest, according to the report of the Northwestern Miller, for several months. The same authority states that the new wheat will be available in Kansas within two weeks, and Oklahoma mills will begin grinding almost at once. Harvesting in Kansas has never been done under more favorable circumstances, and cutting is general. In Indiana the weather has been favorable for cutting, except in the northern part of the State, where rains have interfered somewhat. The wheat yield in the Ohio valley will be smaller than was anticipated, but a greater part of the grain will be of excellent milling quality. The spring wheat crop is doing nicely, and the outlook favors a large yield.

Canned corn is very strong, but little spot left to offer, and that is firmly held by wholesalers. Prices for standards are strong at $1.10, with all concessions withdrawn.

Chickens are being received in large quantities, and the market is easy at quotations. Consumptive demand is less active than it was last month, the usual midsummer idleness in manufacturing centers in the cotton industry. Commodity prices advanced slightly during June.

Butter is just about steady, prices no more than holding their own, with prospects favoring a decline next week if there is no diminution of production. Cheese is weak and 1@2c off at any time. Eggs are unchanged, but demand is light and irregular. Quotations are maintained by reason of the arrival of only moderate supplies.

Hay and grain quotations continue as they have been for several days, held in place by the lightness of receipts, which have fallen off considerably. Demand is light, purchasers showing no disposition to take held beyond immediate requirements.

A steady decline is noticeable in the price of potatoes, and quotations are getting close to the line where ideas of buyers and sellers agree. Prospects favor a large crop this summer, those already gathered being of unusually fine quality so far as the home product is concerned, and farmers feel encouraged, expecting large returns from their potato planting. Stock from Louisville is now arriving freely and prices are lower. Louisville potatoes seem to get cheaper every year, the section shipping through the city increasing its yield each season. Kalamazoo celery is now in control of the situation, and sells at 15@25 cents. Tomatoes continue to arrive in large quantities from Texas and Mississippi and prices rule low. Reports indicate an enormous tomato production as likely all over the country. New apples are coming in liberal quantities, and old stock has well nigh disappeared from the market. Huckleberries are very plentiful and are perhaps at their best now. Quotations went lower yesterday. Currants come forward irregularly, and they seem to be in moderate supply only. The warm weather of the past few days may have a tendency to ripen them, and if so there will probably be a rush of them to market some day soon. Tropical fruits maintain their former range of prices.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 15 cars hay, 4 cars oats, 1 car feed; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 1 car hay, 1 car corn; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 2 cars hay, 1 car straw, 1 car oats; total receipts, 26 cars.

Hay, No. 1 timothy ..$18.50@19.00
do No. 2..$16.50@17.50
No. 1 clov..$12.00@13.00
do mix..$14.50@15.50
Loose from wagon..$18.00@19.00
Straw, oat..$8.50@9.50
do wheat..$8.50@9.50
do rye..$11.00@11.50
Oats, No. 2 white ....44½@45c
do No. 3....43½@44c
do No. 4....42½@43c
Rye, No. 2 Mich.....61@61½c
White middlings, No. 2, ton..$19.50@20.00
do brown..$18.50@19.00
Bran, ton..$18.00@18.50
Wheat, No. 2 red .....71@72c
Corn, No. 2 yel. shell..55@56c
High mix .....54@55c
No. 2 mix.....53@54c
No. 2 white car..56@57c
High mix .....54@55c

GROCERIES.

Flour.

Fancy sps p.$4.65@4.75
Fancy win. pat..$3.85
Straight win..$3.40@3.60
Bakers spg. pat..$3.40@3.60
Rye .....$3.45@3.60
Graham .....$4.00@4.50
Cornmeal, bbl $3.25
do 10-lb cotton bags .....18@19c
Rolled oats, bbl..$5.50
do kegs $2.80
Roasted Coffee.
Rio .....9½@12c
Santos .....22½@23½c
Maracaibo .....17@17½c
Peaberry .....17@18c
Golden Rio .....13½@14c
Caracas .....19@19½c
Standard pkgs 9.55c
High grade..14.30@16.30c
Molasses, fancy, new, refined .....35@37c
do choice .....32@35c
do open kett..40@43c
Syrup.
Fancy sugar ....28@30c
Sug. and cane..24@28c
Prime .....24@25c
2½-lb cans, doz...90c
Corn, fancy..$1.25@1.45
do std $1.10
Cherries, Cal. white ..$2.20@2.25
Lima beans..$1.25@1.40
do soaked ....75@80c
String beans, 2-lb..65c
do 3-lb 90c
Stringless beans ...$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrow fat....95c@$1.05
do early June ...$1.00@1.30
do soaked ....55@65c
Apples, N. Y. gal cans..$2.20@2.25
Pineapples ...$1.00@2.20

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags .....7½@11c
do 25-lb boxes ....8½@11½c
Apples, bulk..6¾@7½c
do 1-lb carrotons .....7½@8½c
Peaches .....7@10c
Raspberries ..26@27½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs.9¼@10¼c
do powdered 5.10c
do pow'd xxxx..5.15c
do cubed 5.35c
do cut loaf 5.75c
do coff. A..4.80@4.90c
do No. 1 yellow..4.65c
do No. 2 yellow..4.00c
do No. 3 yellow..4.95c

BEANS.

Marrow, bu...$3.60@3.10
Navy, H. P..$2.45@2.53
Medium .....$2.30@2.40
Red kidney..$3.40@3.50
Cal. lima, lb..5¼@5½c
Peas, dried, bu. .....$1.70@1.75
do split, lb 4c
Oil, carbon, 110 deg 11c
do headlight..11¾c
do Water white..12c
do Ohio W. W. test 150 deg 12c
do miners ....26@32c
do Elaine 16c
do special brands ....29@43c
Rice, ex. fancy, head .....7½@7¾c
do fancy Japan .....5¾@6¼c
do choice Carolina .....5¾@6¼c
Salts, No. 1, bbl...$1.00
do No. 1 extra..$1.10
do gran. rock ...85c
do powder..$1.05@1.10
do dairy $1.35

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std pie..80@85c
do pie, gal..$3.50@3.60
do California .....
L. C. ..$1.30@2.35
do Maryland ...$1.15@1.65
do California .....
Y. F. ....$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy..$1.25@1.45
do std $1.10
Cherries, Cal. white ..$2.20@2.25
Lima beans..$1.25@1.40
do soaked ....75@80c
String beans, 2-lb..65c
do 3-lb 90c
Stringless beans ...$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrow fat....95c@$1.05
do early June ...$1.00@1.30
do soaked ....55@65c
Apples, N. Y. gal cans..$2.20@2.25
Pineapples ...$1.00@2.20
Plums, damson ...$1.00
do California ...$1.40
Pumpkins ....85@90c
Gooseberries ..95c@$1.00
Tomatoes, standard ..80@90½c
do fancy ...$1.20@1.30
do gal ....$3.50@3.60
Succotash, 1-lb cans ....65c@$1.40
Baked beans, plain tomato sc..85c@$1.40
Salmon, doz. ..85c@$2.05
Chipped beef $2.25@2.75
Corned and roast beef, 2-lb cans ....$2.35@2.40
do 1-lb cans ....$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled ...$1.60@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s ..$3.50@3.65
do mustards, ¼s..$2.75
do French..$9.00@15.75

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu	$8.50@9.00
do small..$8.00@8.10	
do mammoth ..$8.10@8.20	
do crimson ....$4.75@5.00	
do white ....$5.00@6.00	
Dutch..$19.00@20.00	
Alsike .....$8.75@9.00	
Alfalfa .....$8.50@9.00	
Millet .....$1.25@1.50	
Grass, Hungarian, 90c@$1.10	
do lawn, 1b...18@20c	
do blue, 14-lb bu .....$1.50@1.75	
do red top, 14-lb bu ....$1.10@2.00	
Timothy .....$1.80@1.95	

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl ...$30.00	
do half bbls...$15.50	
do quar. bbls...$8.00	
Mackerel, No. 2 shore, bbls $26.00	
do half bbls ...$13.50	
do quar. bbls ...$8.75	
do 20-lb pails...$1.75	
do 10-lb pails...$1.45	
Mackerel, No. 2, bbls $18.00	
do half bbls...$9.50	
do quar. bbls...$5.00	
do 10-lb pails...$1.15	
Lake herring, 100 lbs $3.75	
do 50-lb kits $1.40	
do 10 lb 35c	

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, Louisville .....$2.65@2.75	
do home, bu.....$1.00	
Onions, bbl..$2.00@2.25	
do hamp's..90c@$1.00	
do new, doz..10@15c	
Cucumbers, hothouse .....50@60c	
do North Carolina, bbls .....$2.50@2.25	
do hampers...50@75c	
do home grown, bu .....$1.00@1.50	
Cabbage, new, crate ...$2.00@2.25	
Beets, doz .....35@40c	
do bbl ...$1.50@1.75	
Parsley, doz ...25@30c	
Radishes, doz. 20c	
Spinach, bu...75c@$1.00	
Celery, Kalamazoo ....15@25c	
Kale, bu .....25@30c	
Lettuce, home, doz .....40@50c	
Egg plant, doz .....75c@$1.25	
Garlic, lb .....7@10c	
Carrots, doz bunches .....25@35c	
String beans, bu...75c	
Cauliflower, doz .....$2.00@2.25	
Rhubarb, doz 25c	
Watercress, doz..15@20c	
Tomatoes, Miss., 4-basket carrier .....50@65c	
do Texas .....50@65c	
Brussels sprouts, quart .....12@14c	
Mushrooms, lb...30@40c	
Peppers, green, crate ....$1.75@2.25	
Peas, basket..$1.50@1.75	
do home, bu..$2.25@2.50	
Squash, crate ...$2.25@2.50	
do home, basket..$1.00	
Corn, doz .....30@35c	

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, fancy, bbl .....$2.50@4.00	
do choice..$1.50@2.50	
Cherries .....10@12c	
Blackberries ....8@10c	
Huckleberries ....9@10c	
Raspberries, afloat, black .....8@11c	
do red .....13@14c	
Currants .....8@10c	
Gooseberries .....6@8c	

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina ...$4.50@5.00	
do Californias ...$3.00@3.50	
Limes, per 100...$1.00	
Oranges, California, navel ...$2.50@3.25	
do California seedlings..$2.25@2.75	
Cocoanuts, bags..$2.50	
Peaches, Calif., box .....$1.00@1.25	
Bananas, 1st..$1.50@1.75	
do 2ds ....$1.00@1.25	
Grape fruit, Cali. fornia ....$3.00@4.00	
Pineapples, crate ....$2.75@3.00	
Cherries, California, box ....$2.25@2.50	
Apricots, box..60c@$1.00	
Plums, California, box ....$1.25@1.75	

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	Cheese, Ohio Swiss.
Prints ..23@23½c	tins .....14@14½c
Tubs .....22½@23c	do Wis. Swiss, tubs ....16@16½c
Ohio creamery..20@24c	do 20-lb block Swiss, new .....14@14½c
Dairy .....16@17c	do limberger..10½@11c
Country roll....15@16c	Eggs at mark..16@16½c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream ...11@11½c	do candled ...17@18c
do Ohio ....@14c	
do ¾ cream..10@10½c	

POULTRY.

Live hens, lb...12@13c	Roosters .....12@13c
Live spring ....13@15c	Turkeys, fresh dressed ....16@18c
Roosters .....6@7c	do frozen ....20@22c
Turkeys .....10@11c	Ducks 18c
Geese .....8@10c	do spring ...18@20c
Ducks .....11@12c	Capon, lb 28c
Dressed hens ...10@17c	L. L. ducks 21c
Dressed springs..20@23c	
Roasters 18c	

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up....13½c	back strips 12c
Over 14 to 18 lbs..13½c	Dry salt sides, extra short clears ..10½c
Over 10 to 14 lbs...14c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs 10½c
10 lbs and under..14½c	do 16 to 20 lbs..10½c
Skinned 15c	do under 16 lbs..10½c
Boneless, rolled...20c	Dry salt smoked
California 9½c	sides, extra short clears ..11¼c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut 10c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs 11½c
do skinned 10½c	do 16 to 20 lbs..11½c
Breakfast bacon, rolls, 8 to 10 lbs...13½c	do under 16 lbs..11½c
do to 12 lbs...13c	Lard, pure, tierces 8c
do back strips...12c	
do cleans, 6 to 10 lbs 14c	
do 10 to 12 lbs..13¾c	

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Butter—Receipts, 16,560 packages; market irregular; state dairy, 16½@20c; extra creamery, 20½c; renovated, 15@19c; imitation creamery, 16@18c; state factory, 14@16½c; imitation creamery, 16@18c. Cheese—Receipts, 4,939 packages; market easy; state full cream, fancy small colored, September, small white, 10c; large colored, 10c; large white, 10c. Eggs—Receipts, 6,586 packages; unsettled; state and Pennsylvania firsts to extras, 17@19½c western extras, 18@18½c; western seconds to firsts, 14@17c.

CHICAGO, July 10.—Butter easier; creameries, 15@20c; dairies, 14½@18c. Cheese easy at 10@11c.

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.—Butter steady and in fair demand; prints 1c higher; extra western creamery, 21c; do nearby prints, 22c. Eggs firm and in fair demand; fresh nearby and western, 17c loss off; do southwestern, 16c loss off. Cheese steady and in fair demand. New York full creams, choice (new), 10½@10¾c; do fair to good, 9¾@10¼c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, July 10.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points under unfavorable receipts and disappointing European cables. Speculation was moderately active under room selling, while importers and shorts were reported purchasers. The market was finally steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points. Sales were 16,250 bags, including September at 3.95@4.00c; November at 4.10c; December at 4.35c; March at 4.55c, and May at 4.65c. Spot coffee, Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 5 3-16c; mild quiet. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3@3 1-16c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2¾@2¾c; refined steady; No. 6, 4.00c; No. 7, 4.05c; No. 8, 4.05c; No. 9, 4.10c; No. 10, 4.30c; No. 11, 4.25c; No. 12, 4.20c; No. 13, 4.15c; No. 14, 4.10c; confectioners' A, 4.75c; mould A, 5.15c; cutloaf, 5.50c; crushed, 5.50c; powdered, 5.00c; granulated, 4.95c; cubes, 5.15c.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Conditions in drygoods are practically unchanged, with purchases restricted to actual requirements. Buyers have been affected by the heat and also by the unsettled conditions of the raw cotton market. Stocks in first hands or on jobbers shelves are light, but no speculation is indulged in.

Bancroft Sails for the Orinoco.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The gunboat Bancroft left Port of Spain today for Ciudad Bolivar, a point on the Orinoco river, to investigate the alleged seizure of American merchantmen by both the government forces and the insurgents reported to be operating in that vicinity.

WHEAT AND OATS HIGHER, BUT CORN CLOSED LOWER

General Tone of the Chicago Market Was Somewhat Easier Yesterday.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, July 10.—Cables failed to respond to the advance in the price of wheat here yesterday, and this fact, together with the favorable weather, caused an easier tone at the start. Prospects of a bullish government crop report was the principal factor throughout the session, and the buying was of good character the entire day. There was a fair outside demand, and St. Louis and the northwest were both firm, which helped prices here. Primary receipts were 819,000 bushels, against 380,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 134 cars, which, with local receipts of 17 cars—no one of contract grade—made total receipts for the three points of 151 cars, against 317 cars a year ago.

Corn was helped some early by the strength in wheat, but the market was again under considerable selling pressure and the undertone was easier. The volume of trading was light, traders being disposed to await the issuance of the government crop report. Easier cables had a depressing influence. Local receipts were 322 cars, with 27 of contract grade.

Oats ruled quiet, and the market was governed largely by the action of wheat. An improvement in the cash demand was also a strengthening influence. Local receipts were 118 cars.

Liberal receipts of hogs and lower prices at the yards started provision prices in a downward direction, and, with the exception of a short rally, the market failed to rally from the opening weakness. Trading was light and without feature. September pork closed 5c lower at $14.85. September lard was 7½@10c lower at $7.87½, while ribs were unchanged at $8.07½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 15 cars; corn, 265 cars; oats, 180 cars; hogs, 13,000 head.

The leading futures reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
July	79⅜	80¼	79⅜	79⅜	79½
July n	79⅝	80¼	79⅜	79⅜	79½
Sept.	78⅝	79⅝	78⅜	78⅝	78⅝
Sept. n	78⅝	79⅝	78¼	79	78⅝
CORN.					
No. 2.					
July	51¼	51¼	51¼	51¼	51¼
July n	51¼	51¼	51¼	51¼	51¼
Sept.	51¼	52¼	51¼	51¼	51¼
Dec.	51½	51¾	51	51¼	51⅜
OATS.					
No. 2.					
July	40¼	40⅞	40	40⅜	40¼
Sept.	34⅝	35¼	34⅜	35⅛	34⅝
Dec.	35⅛	35½	35⅛	35⅜	35½
MESS PORK.					
July	14 75	14 75	14 62½	14 70	14 75
Sept.	14 95	15 00	14 85	14 85	15 00
LARD.					
July	7 75	7 75	7 65	7 70	7 80
Sept.	7 90	7 95	7 85	7 87½	7 95
Oct.	7 75	7 75	7 70	7 72½	7 77½
SHORT RIBS.					
July	8 52½	8 55	8 47½	8 55	8 60
Sept.	8 52½	8 62½	8 52½	8 57½	8 57½
Oct.	8 15	8 25	8 15	8 22½	8 25

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 78@79c; No. 3, 75@78c; No. 2 red, 79¾@80½c; No. 2 corn, 51½c; No. 2 yellow, 57½@57¾c; No. 2 oats, 40¾c; No. 2 white, 44c; No. 3 white, 40½@41½c; good feeding barley, 40@43c; fair to choice malting, 48@51c; No. 1 flaxseed, 96c; No. 1 northern, $1.02½; prime timothy seed, $3.40; mess pork, $14.70@14.75; lard, $7.65@7.75; short ribs sides (loose), $8.37½@8.50; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $7.87½@8.00; short clear sides (boxed), $8.75@8.87½; whiskey, basis of high wines, $1.30; clover, contract grade, $11.50@11.75.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	16,400	14,400
Wheat, bu	26,200	68,300
Corn, bu	300,400	326,700
Oats, bu	190,900	227,100
Rye, bu	4,900	5,200
Barley, bu	23,100	.....

NEW YORK, July 10.—Flour—Receipts, 8,643 barrels; exports, 21,270 barrels; unchanged but firm and fairly active. Rye flour steady. Cornmeal steady. Barley steady.

Grain—Wheat—Receipts, 16,075 bus; exports, 4,070 bushels; spot firm; No. 2 red, 87¼c elevator; No. 2 red, 88¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 83⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 90¾c f. o. b. afloat; options opened easy under poor cables and rain in the northwest, but rallied and were generally firm all day on the crop reports and a renewal of bullish cable news, closing, 8@1⅜c net higher; July, 86@87¼c, closed 87⅛c; September, 82⅛@83¼c, closed 83¼c; December, 82⅝@82 13-16c, closed 82⅝c. Corn—Receipts, 81,650 bushels; exports, 108,700; spot dull; No. 2, 58c; elevator, 58⅜c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 58c; No. 3 white, 58c; option market opened steady, but soon declined to unloading and favorable weather news, ruling dull all day with the close ¼c net lower; July, 57⅝@58¼c, closed 57⅝c; September, 51¾@53⅛c, closed 57⅝@57¾c; December, 51¾@53c, closed 51¾c. Oats—Receipts, 31,000 bushels; exports, 2,825 bushels; quiet; No. 2, 44c; standard white, 45c; No. 3, 42¼c; No. 2 white, 45¼c; No. 3 white, 44½@45c; track white, 43½@49c; options dull all day and barely steady.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 10.—Wheat, cash, 80c; July, 87¼c; September, 77⅜c; No. 1 hard, 90c; No. 1 northern, 89c; No. 2 northern, 86c; No. 3 northern, 82@86c.

MILWAUKEE, July 10.—Wheat strong; No. 1 northern, 89@89½c; No. 2 northern, 87@88c; September (new), 76c. Rye firm; No. 1, 55c. Barley steady; No. 2, 60c; sample, 47@57c. Corn, September, 51½@51¾c.

ST. LOUIS, July 10.—Wheat firmer; No. 1 red cash, 78¾c; July, 78⅜c; September, 77½c; December, 78¼@78⅝c. No. 2 hard, 76@78½c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 49¾c; July, 49c; September, 50¾c; December, 51¼c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 37½c; September, 34½c. No. 2 white, 43c.

DULUTH, July 10.—Wheat to arrive, No. 1 hard, 83½c; No. 1 northern, 87c; No. 2 northern, 85½c; July, 87c; September, 79c; December, 74½c.

TOLEDO, O., July 10.—Cloverseed dull, easy; October, $5 07½, 2½c lower. Prime timothy, $1 60. August alsike, $6 70.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CENTRAL STOCK Y

PROVIDED FOR PALL-BEARERS

G. M. Schaefer Left $2 Each to His Grandchildren for That Service.

MOTHER SUES FOR HER BABY

Married and Deserted on George Washington's Birthday Is One Wife's Story. Defective Indictment Leads to Clara Pitcairn's Acquittal.

G. M. Schafer of Mt. Oliver, before his death recently, made a will in which he provided that the pall bearers at the funeral shall receive compensation. The will was filed for probate yesterday. The testator directed that the arrangements for his funeral shall be attended to by his daughter; that William W. Semmelrock be the undertaker and his grandchildren the pall bearers, each of them to receive $2. The residue of the estate is left to the daughter and her husband.

By the will of Michael Spain, Sr., late of Pittsburgh, five of his children are cut off with bequests of $1 each, and the sixth gets the balance of a $1,000 estate. This is Annie Spain. Those who were cut out are Ailee, Thomas, Christopher, Michael and William Spain.

By the will of James W. Neely, late of Marshall township, a $6,000 estate is disposed of. Four sons receive the farm in the township and the four daughters get $150 each, while the widow is to have a living out of the estate as long as she remains unmarried.

Mrs. Winona B. MacFall began habeas corpus proceedings to obtain possession of her infant child from the custody of her husband, Charles A. MacFall of Sewickley.

Mrs. MacFall alleges that her husband treated her cruelly. She claims that MacFall pointed a revolver at her and threatened to cut her throat with a razor, thus compelling her to withdraw from their home. She says her husband refused to allow her to take her child, then 18 days old, with her, though she pleaded for it. It is alleged the child needs a mother's care.

Married and deserted on George Washington's birthday, the report of the commissioner in the divorce case of Alice Gilmore against George S. Gilmore, which was filed yesterday, shows they were wedded February 22, 1899, and desertion on February 22, 1901, is alleged. The respondent is an Oakland veterinary surgeon.

The master in the divorce case of Margaret A. Fyle against Joseph L. Fyle recommends a decree on the grounds of desertion.

Myrtle I. Bradshaw entered suit for divorce against Charles E. Bradshaw, charging desertion and infidelity, and naming Fannie Tibbie co-respondent.

In the United States circuit court an opinion was filed by Judge Archbald of Scranton in the case of Minerva Tridell against W. H. Munhall, executor of the estate of Patrick Munhall, refusing the motion for a new trial. The jury awarded the plaintiff $6,055, subject to a decision on a question of law. The court allows judgment for the plaintiff for $2,055, and enters judgment for the defense on the question of law reversed, which involves the remainder of the verdict.

MUST WED IN COUNTY.

Register Stengel Establishes New Rules Relating to Marriage Licenses.

Register George H. Stengel has decided that under the marriage license laws persons living outside of Allegheny county cannot come here, obtain a license and then return to their home county and be wedded on the license granted. The applicants must hereafter certify where they are to be married. This does not prevent a resident of Allegheny county from taking out a license here and being married in another county.

The register has also decided that notaries public cannot take affidavits to applications for marriage licenses; also that where either party has been divorced a copy of the decree must accompany the affidavit.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Richard King entered suit against J. S. Negley and William Sullivan for $2,000 damages for an alleged illegal levy.

Wilhelmina Zulauf took out letters of administration on the estate of Jacob Zulauf. Attorney Mark Schmid represents the estate.

Summer Vacation Tours.
Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Each Tuesday, Friday and Saturday during July and August, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Chautauqua lake points and return, $6.00.

Each Tuesday during July, August and September, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, $7.45, and Toronto and return, $8.90.

Trains leave Union station at 9 a. m. and 11 p. m., eastern standard time. Pullman service on all through trains.

Special Chautauqua lake sleeping car now in service on 11 p. m. train.

Excursion to Cumberland, Sunday, July 12, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves Smithfield and Water street station, Pittsburgh, 7 a. m. $2 round trip.

In Its New Building.

The United States National bank now has its doors open for business in its new building, 503 Market street, one door from Fifth avenue.

DEDICATION OF COSTLY NEW HOUSE OF WORSHIP

Exercises at Grace Reformed Church—Religious Events Tomorrow.

The new house of worship of the Grace Reformed congregation will be dedicated tomorrow morning. This beautiful new edifice at Dithridge and Bayard streets cost about $100,000. Dr. John H. Prugh has been pastor of the congregation for 28 years. The dedicatory sermon will be preached by the Rev. Dr. George W. Richards of Lancaster, Pa. A large class will also be confirmed by the pastor at the morning services. A fellowship service will be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at which several of the neighboring ministers will deliver five-minute speeches. The Rev. Dr. John H. Sechler of Philadelphia will preach the evening sermon. A program of special music has been arranged. The housewarming takes place next Wednesday evening.

The twentieth anniversary of the Forty-third Street Presbyterian church will be held tomorrow. The Rev. Henry H. Stiles will preach at the morning services and the Rev. Samuel E. Linnart will make the address in the evening. The Sunday school will hold exercises at 2:30 in the afternoon, and the Young People's societies and the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip will make proper observance of the day at 6:45.

The churches of Lower Allegheny have combined to hold twilight services on the lawn of the Eleventh ward school house during July and August. The pastors of the different churches will each take charge of some of the services. Special music has been arranged for and the addresses will be short, spirited and to the point. The Rev. A. C. Diffenbach will preach tomorrow evening.

Dr. H. C. Swearingen, formerly pastor of the Third United Presbyterian church of Allegheny, but now of Lincoln, Neb., will occupy the pulpit of his former charge tomorrow.

A union mass meeting will be held in the United Presbyterian church of Braddock tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rabbi Max Wertheimer of Dayton, O., will be the principal speaker. He will make an address on "God's Methods of Bringing Men to Himself."

At the Schenley park services tomorrow evening the passion play of Oberammergau will be given through stereopticon views and the Rev. S. Edward Young will describe the play as he witnessed it at its production in 1900.

The Mt. Washington Methodist Protestant church will hold its reopening tomorrow with all-day services. The Rev. J. W. Righter is pastor. At 11 o'clock the Rev. George Schaffer will preach. There will be a platform meeting at 3 o'clock. The Rev. M. L. Jennings, editor of the Methodist Recorder, will preach at 7:45. The church was closed for a month to allow repairs.

The Three Rivers

CINCINNATI, July 10.—River 11.8 feet and falling. All local packets on time. No towboat movements today.

GREENSBURG—River 7.7 feet and falling. Columbia down Saturday. Woodward up.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 2 inches and falling. Showers.

WARREN—River .7 foot.

POINT PLEASANT—River 9 feet 8 inches and falling. Down, Bonanza, Ed Roberts, Harvester, Tornado, Samuel Clarke, Horner No. 2, Mount Clare, Sam Brown. Up, Jim Brown and Kanawha.

GALLIPOLIS—River 10 feet and about stationary. Down, Ben Hur, Parkersburg, 8 a. m.; Bessie Smith, Parkersburg, noon.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary.

LOUISVILLE—River falling with 6 feet in the canal, 4 feet 2 inches on the falls, and 11 feet 2 inches below the locks.

RIVERS FALLING FAST.

Two Towboats Caught at the Trap and Run Aground.

The first real indications that the water in the harbor was falling to a point below navigation yesterday were when the Stella Moren and the Cadet ran aground in the trap. They were coming up with empties, and it was supposed that there were still enough water over this shallow place to allow the steamers to cross. The empties were boated away from them, and they are held fast in the gravel. The steamer Bertha is reported aground at Deadman's island. These steamers were hurrying in with empties and tried to arrive before the water fell too low. The down river packets coming in yesterday morning were able to pass these towboats, as they are not in the channel.

The officials of the packet lines are anticipating another tie-up on account of low water. There is no more than is needed in the upper Ohio now. Davis Island dam will probably be ready to be raised today, and that will cut off considerable water, so that the packets coming in the early part of next week will probably have to tie up at Sewickley or perhaps even lower down the river.

ARRIVALS.

Greenwood, Greene, Charleston.
Lorena, Wallace, Zanesville.
I. C. Woodward, Williams, Morgantown.
Edgar Cherry, Hosg, Brownsville.

DEPARTURES.

Greenwood, Greene, Charleston.
Columbia, Abrams, Morgantown.
Edgar Cherry, Hosg, Brownsville.

NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

The stage of water at the Davis Island dam at 6 o'clock last night was 5.4 feet, and the river was falling.

The Woodward leaves today for Morgantown and the Colmbia at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The two coal boats sunk in the trap recently are showing up plain, and will be dangerous if not removed.

"Hub" Mallory, engineer of the Harry Brown, is said to be the youngest engineer on the rivers.

Capt. W. B. Rodgers is being boomed for grand marshal of the gala day which is being arranged for July 28.

The Dave Wood was due to arrive in last night and the Pacific No. 2 is coming in, but will probably have to tie up at Sewickley.

The Morgantown packets have a slack-watered river to run on and find no trouble. Rivermen point this out as an argument for slack-watering the Ohio river.

The Helen O., with a Morgantown camping party in tow, left the harbor yesterday. She attracted much interest on account of her size in comparison with the house boat she towed.

The Harry P. Jones is coming up with a baggy boiler. Several steamers have had this trouble in the last few days. It is due to the extra amount of dirt in the river water and also to leaving of the boilers uncleaned in the hasts to reach the harbor.

Mayor George J. F. Falkenstein of McKeesport received a letter from Capt. Sibert's office yesterday concerning the encroachments which have been made on the harbor lines on the Youghiogheny river. It is said that at the dump between Eleventh and Twelfth streets the harbor lines have been encroached on for about 10 feet. An order was issued prohibiting further dumping at that place.

The down river packets had good trips yesterday. The Greenwood left for Charleston in the afternoon and the Lorena departed for Zanesville this afternoon at 4 o'clock. If the water falls in the next few days they will be unable to reach this port on their regular trips next week.

The J. E. Leonard, which has just been built for Capt. Leonard at Brownsville, arrived in the harbor yesterday and was inspected by the local United States inspectors. She is a stern wheeler. Capt. Leonard will use her in the local pool trade. Her cylinders are 12½ inches and she has a four-foot stroke. She is 100 feet long and 22 feet wide.

Pennsylvania Will Rebuild the Old "Short Line" Into Fine Modern Railroad

Several corps of engineers have been sent from the general offices of surveys looking to the practical rebuilding of the entire line of the old Columbus, Sandusky & Hocking between Columbus and Sandusky. The cost of the work will be in the hundred thousands, but the result will be to give the Pennsylvania by far the best line between Columbus and the lakes.

The particular value of this line is expected to be shown in the coming increase of the coal traffic between the Norfolk & Western's fields and the Hocking valley fields and the lakes. This business is already heavy, but the management of the Pennsylvania foresees its growth many times the present magnitude and proposes that the Pennsylvania shall be in a position to take care of its full share.

Western Lines Fight.

There is every promise of a deep cut in western passenger rates. Five of the disputing lines in the Western Passenger association have announced that, independent of the action of the other lines, they will introduce on September 1, or as soon thereafter as possible, an interchangeable mileage ticket. The lines are the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, the Northwestern, the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha, the Burlington and the Illinois Central. The Wisconsin Central and the Great Western also voted for the plan, subject to the approval of the executives of these two roads. The Alton voted against a change and the Santa Fe refused to vote. As the Rock Island is not included in the Western Passenger association, it was not represented at the meeting of that association. There were, in fact, only nine out of 30 roads in the association that had representatives present. The whole trouble grew out of the differences between the Rock Island and its principal competitors over transcontinental traffic. The trouble has spread until now practically every important line in the west is involved, but there are indications of rates being most seriously affected within a few months unless peace is patched up. Complaints recently has been the cutting of the Chicago-St. Paul rate from $11.50 to $8. The Rock Island threatens further to make this rate permanent and to establish a precedent for all rates west as El Paso and Denver, thus giving practically a 2-cent-a-mile rate in trans-Missouri territory. While there has been no official proof, it is generally believed that the Gould lines are with the Rock Island in this matter and will oppose to the last the change of the present credential interchangeable mileage system.

Two New Record Runs Reported.

Two new record fast runs are reported, one on the Ft. Wayne between Crestline and Ft. Wayne and the other on the Erie between Huntington and Hammond, Ind. With train No. 29, consisting of six Pullman cars, two standard coaches and a baggage and mail car, Engineman Jerry McCarty made the run from Crestline to Ft. Wayne, 131 miles, in 131 minutes, an exact mile-a-minute average. It is the division record for such a train.

Engineman McIlvaine is the new Erie recordmaker. His train was a special bearing President Underwood, and the run from Huntington to Hammond, 122 miles, was made in 121 minutes, including a five-minute stop for water. A stretch of 64 miles was covered in 59 minutes. The instructions to the engineman were simply to make a western connection.

Railroad Notes.

Col. W. D. Holliday, assistant general freight agent of the Wabash railroad at Pittsburgh, spent yesterday in Cleveland.

Andrew Keiser, formerly passenger trainmaster of the Pittsburgh division, now superintendent of telegraph of the Pennsylvania railroad, is expected here today to remove his family to their new home in Philadelphia.

Arthur Hale, general superintendent of transportation of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, came to Pittsburgh yesterday morning to join the party of division officials of that road in inspecting the Wheeling and Pittsburgh line.

During the coming week the Panhandle will receive from the American Car and Foundry Company 600 new freight cars, 200 of which are all-steel gondolas, 168 all-steel gas cars, 400 steel-underframe box cars of 80,000 pounds capacity, 40 horse cars and 19 stock cars.

It is said that a gross injustice has been done William Clouse, ticket agent of the Baltimore & Ohio at McKeesport, in connection with the visit of Mrs. Carrie Nation there. It is claimed that not only was Mr. Clouse not smoking in the office, as reported, but that he does not smoke at all.

Col. W. M. Shaw, district passenger agent of the Burlington, who was taken ill last week at Cincinnati, is not recovering as fast as his friends would wish. None but members of his family are allowed to see him, and several months' rest will be necessary, even in case of recovery, his physicians say. No passenger man in this section is more popular than "Col. Bill," as he is everywhere known.

TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT ALMOST COMPLETED

Chief Assessor A. J. Pitcairn stated yesterday that the triennial assessment would probably be completed in six weeks. The assessors are engaged in making reassessments of downtown property, where the greatest changes are expected to be made. As published previously in The Gazette the assessors expect an increase of $100,000,000 in valuations this year, bringing the total valuations up to $420,000,000.

SANTIAGO FLAGSHIP WILL BE OVERHAULED

WASHINGTON, July 10.—(Special.)—Convinced that she can be restored to her former state of efficiency, Secretary Moody today approved the recommendation of Rear Admiral Bowles, chief constructor, for a complete overhauling of the armored cruiser New York, at a cost of $500,000, in addition to giving her a new battery costing another $500,000.

MRS. HANS BJERRE

1522 Madison Ave., New York City, Writes of the Virtues of Cuticura.

"To-day I am thankful to say my boys are hearty and strong as any children in the city, but I had my fair share of care and work when they were babies. An infant's skin is so delicate and fine that the least thing will hurt it. For chafing, for all eruptions and outbreaks on the skin, for roughness and chapping, I always used Cuticura.

"If my boys all passed through babyhood without any serious or alarming skin trouble, I attribute that circumstance to the prompt and free use of Cuticura when the first sign of disease appeared. I should add that we always used Cuticura Soap in bathing the children. It seems to get all the impurities out of the skin, and if there is a single ingredient in it that can possibly do harm, I have never found a trace of it. Sometimes I read in papers of babies who have been allowed to suffer a long time with a terrible disease before their mothers started to use Cuticura. I think such cases as strange as they are sad for by this time everybody ought to know about Cuticura and nobody ought to wait for weeks and even months to pass before resorting to this remedy.

"I wish every mother in the world could learn what a splendid thing Cuticura is. Then we should have vastly fewer sick, disfigured babies and vastly fewer parents tortured with anxiety."

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, $5o. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60). Ointment, 50c., Soap, 25c. Depots: London, 27 Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 5 Rue de la Paix; Boston, 137 Columbus Ave. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props.

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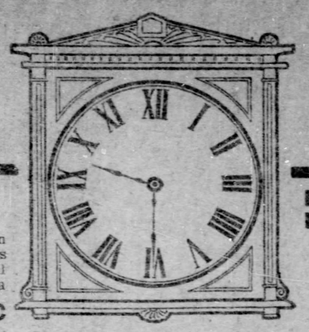

Pittsburgh Picture

Last 250 of a 10,000 edition go on sale today in mailing tubes ready to send away. All it will cost you to favor some friend at a distance will be 10c

Lord & Taylor's Men's Hosiery

Second picking. Good as the first lot for quality, but a little less variety. No bad styles and no imperfections. Every pair good value 50c. Our price, per pair 29c

Best Straw Hats For $1.48.

Several of our lines of Men's Straw Hats we carry run up to $2.50. Right now, when you want them most, we cut the prices so far down that the best hat in the house will cost you only $1.48

Solid Comfort in An Outing Suit.

Men's all-wool Outing Suits, in dark colors, which were bought to sell this season for $7.50 and $5.00—your choice now for $3.75

Fancy Vests Give Variety.

Do not always look the same. Diversify your appearance in summer by occasionally wearing a White Vest. Odds and ends in Men's Fancy Vests that have been selling up to $3.50, will be cut today to $1.98

Closing Time Tonight.

SECOND SHIPMENT

Men's Linen Collars (Four Ply)

THREE FOR 25 CENTS
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A NEW SUPPLY OF THE STYLES MOST IN FAVOR THIS SEASON READY FOR SATURDAY.

Campbell's "THE PEOPLE'S STORE" $1.98 $2.00

Boys' Suits that Will Wash.

Well-made Garments in stripes and plain colors. Sizes range from 3 to 12 years. Not at 75c and $1.00 as formerly, but for 50c

Small Boys' Kilt Suits.

These Washable Suits come in plain white, fancy stripes or plain colors, and although the original prices were $2.50, $3 and $3.50, they go into this sale at $1.98

Vestee Suits for Little Fellows.

Cute All-wool Suits in fancy checks and stripes to fit small boys from 3 to 8 years old. Cut way, way down from $5 to $2.00

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Safe, Quick, Permanent Cures. No knife—no pain. Hours 9 a. m.-4 p. m. Special appointments made for Sundays and evenings.

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July Reduction Sale. SOLOMON'S July Reduction Sale.

K. SOLOMON & COMPANY, Smithfield & Diamond Sts.
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Store Closes Saturday at 10 P. M. Other days 5 P. M.

This sale is now on in full sway—every department has felt the slashing of the price-cutting knife. We will not allow goods to remain with us from one season to the next—hence we spare nothing—but cut prices right and left.

It's truly bargain time now—for clearance is the watchword and the cost is not counted. Women's Fashionable Attire, Millinery, Shoes, Furnishing Goods—in fact each section from basement to top floor is a wealth of money-saving values.

Clearing Out Men's Clothing With a Rush!

Out it must go—no considering the cost—every garment is slashed to force an immediate clearance. The deep price cutting is actual—its result is easily to be seen, as every statement in our advertising is borne out throughout the immense stocks. It is radical, bona-fide reductions like these which mean real money saving.

Men's $10 Suits at $6.75.

It would be easy to say that these suits are worth more than $10, and they would have sold at more than that in many stores, but we confine ourselves to facts, and investigation will prove that these stylish suits of fancy cassimeres and cheviots are worth every cent of $10, and that we are naming extra value when we close them out at $6.75

Men's $12 and $15 Suits at $9.00.

Another group of positive reductions that appeal to the men who know when they are getting a bargain. Extremely dressy suits of fancy cheviots in new overplaids, checks and stripes; also quieter tones for those who prefer them. Single or double-breasted sack styles, tailored with broad shoulders and firm fronts. Reduced to $9.00

Men's $18 to $28 Suits at $14.50.

A sweeping clearance of every high-class suit in stock, none reserved, not even blacks and blues—usually kept back by other houses in clearance sales. Exclusive homespuns, cheviots and cassimeres, fine black thibet and pure worsted serges. Made in the height of tailoring art and superb sacrifices at the clearance price of $14.50

All Outing Suits Reduced.

Men's $5 Outing Suits, reduced to $3.50.
Men's $7.50 Outing Suits, reduced to $5.00.
Men's $10 and $12 Outing Suits, reduced to $7.60.
Men's $15 and $16.50 Outing Suits, reduced to $12.00.
Men's $18 to $22 Outing Suits, reduced to $14.50.

Summer Clothing—Specials.

Men's Washable Office Coats, 15c.
Black Alpaca Coats, special at 89c.
All-Wool Fast Color Blue Serge Coats, $2.50.
Blue or Black Serge Coats and Vests, $3.50.
Men's Crash Trousers, special at 50c.
Men's White Duck Trousers, up from 75c.

Men's Trousers Reduced.

$1.50, $1.75 and $2.00 Trousers, cut to $1.00.
$3.50 and $4.00 Trousers, to close out at $2.50.
$5.50, $6.00 and $6.50 Trousers, cut to $4.00.
SPECIAL: Closing out $2 to $5 Golf or Bicycle Pants, 50c.

Boys' Clothing Below Cost.

Boys' Knee Pants. Ages 4 to 16. Made of all-wool materials in the season's newest patterns. Finished with taped seams, patent bands and some with double seats and knees. Regular 75c grades reduced to 44c

Boys' Wash Suits. Ages 2½ to 9. Made of madras cloths, linens or galateas, in the newest colorings. The greatest suit ever offered in sailor blouse or Russian blouse styles, at the reduction price of 75c

Boys' Wash Suits. Ages 2½ to 10. Made of fancy striped galateas, chambrays, linens or mercerized materials. The kind that will wash perfectly and worth up to $2.50. Saturday only $1.65

Boys' Dress Suits, either 2 or 3-piece suits; also Sailor Blouse Suits. Ages 2½ to 16. Made of fine serge and exclusive Scotch mixtures. Reduced from $4 to $5 to $3.34

Boys' High-Grade Suits. Ages 4 to 16. Double-breasted, Norfolk or blouse styles, some with extra silk collars. Made of the finest materials and worth $6 and $7. Clearance Price $4.90

Young Men's Suits. Ages 14 to 19. The latest styles in Scotch mixtures, homespuns, black thibets or light weight serges. Also outing suits. These have sold up to $15, now reduced to $9.50

Young Men's Long Trousers, $2.50 values at $1.49.

Harness at Half Price.

We are discontinuing our Harness Dept. and closing out everything at half-price. Nothing reserved, pick out your choice and pay just one-half the regular marked price.

½ OFF all Single Buggy Harness, Surrey Harness, Double Driving Harness, Team Harness and Fine Coach Harness.
½ OFF all Tuttle & Clark's Horse Boots and other turf goods.
½ OFF all Summer Lap Robes, Cooling Blankets and Stable Blankets.
½ OFF all Horse Medicines, Oils, Dressings, Combs, Brushes, etc.

Closing Out Men's Wearables.

More of Those "Griffon" Brand Negligee Shirts. This time we offer about 156 dozen from our own stock in madras and woven oxford cheviots—all the smartest effects of the season, in sizes 14 to 18. Every shirt shows the highest standard of workmanship. Closing out $1.00 and $1.50 values today at 69c

Negligee Shirts—Special. Made of new crepe cloths and woven madras in stripes and figures. Mostly black on white grounds. Extra well made and perfect fitting. Regular 75c values reduced to 49c

Men's Silky Fibre Underwear. Broken lots but all sizes represented in various colors. Pearl buttons and patent flat seams. 50c garments closing out at 29c

Men's Fine Maco Yarn Underwear in ecru, pink and blue; all sizes. Worth double the Clearance Price of 35c

Men's Cellular Mesh Underwear. The coolest and most comfortable underwear. Choice of ecru, black and fancy colors. Closing out high-priced garments at 50c

Men's Oxfords Cut.

We are making a sweeping clearance of high-grade oxfords. The prices quoted here reduced this fine footwear to about the cost of leather. No exclusive store can make such radical reductions.

8 Styles of Men's $5.00 Oxfords, including the famous Stacy Adams Co. make—none better in the land and never before sold under $5.00. Saturday, choice $3.50

3 Styles of Men's $4.00 Oxfords. These are exclusive dressy footwear of a character never before offered at such a reduced figure. Per pair $2.75

10 Styles of Men's $3.50 Oxfords. These are strictly high-grade shoes in the very best leathers and on the latest lasts. Reduced to close out at, per pair $2.50

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Men's Finest Panama Hats. Our highest grade $15 hats reduced to $10

Men's Genuine Panama Hats. The regular $10 grades in all styles, reduced to $7.00

Men's Genuine Panama Hats. All our $6, $7 and $8 hats reduced to $5.00

Men's Panama Shaped Hats, in fine Milan, Mackinaw and Porto Rican braids. $3.50 and $4.00 hats reduced to $2.48

Men's Negligee Hats, fine Manila and split braids, with wide brims. $2 and $2.48 hats reduced to $1.48

Children's Linen Sailor Hats, reduced to 49c.

Men's Straw Hats, either stiff brims or Alpine shapes. Regular $1.50 hats reduced to 98c

Men's Rough-and-Ready Yacht Hats. $1.00 and $1.48 qualities reduced to 50c

Men's Alpine Shaped Straw Hats. All $1.00 hats reduced to 50c

Men's Fine Straw Hats, yacht brims. $2.00 and $2.48 values reduced to $1.48

Children's Straw Sailors reduced to about half price at $1.50, 79c, 43c and 17c

Men's, Boys' and Children's Caps reduced.

CURING CATARRH

If you have any of the symptoms in the following list mark them and bring or send to Doctor Tucker. He will diagnose your case and cure it.

THE CHARGES ARE $5.00 A MONTH, MEDICINE INCLUDED.

Catarrh of the Head and Throat.

The most prevalent form of catarrh results from neglected colds.
"Is your breath foul?"
"Is your voice husky?"
"Do you spit up slime?"
"Do you ache all over?"
"Do you blow out scabs?"
"Is your nose stopped up, sore or tender?"
"Does your nose discharge or bleed?"
"Do crusts form in the nose?"
"Do you sneeze a great deal?"
"Does your nose itch and burn?"
"Is there pain in the head?"
"Is your sense of smell or taste leaving?"
"Is there a dropping in the throat?"
"Is your throat dry in the morning?"
"Do you sleep with your mouth open?"

Catarrh of the Bronchial Tubes.

"Do you have a cough?"
"Are you losing flesh?"
"Do you have a pain in the side?"
"Do you take cold easily?"
"Is your appetite variable?"
"Have you stitches in the side?"
"Are you low-spirited at times?"
"Do you raise frothy or yellow material?"
"Is your cough short and hacking?"
"Do you spit up little cheesy lumps?"
"Have you a disgust for fatty foods?"
"Is there a tickling behind the palate?"
"Do you have a pain behind the breastbone?"
"Do you feel you are growing weaker?"
"Is there a burning pain in the throat?"
"Do you have to sit up at night to get breath?"

Catarrh of the Ears.

"Is your hearing failing?"
"Do your ears discharge?"
"Are your ears dry and scaly?"
"Do your ears itch and burn or throb?"
"Do you have pain behind the ears?"
"Do you have head noises?"
"Is your hearing bad on cloudy days?"
"Do you have earache occasionally?"
"Is there a roaring like waterfalls in head?"
"Do you hear better some days than others?"
"Do the noises in the ears keep you awake?"
"Do the ears crack or hurt when you blow your nose?"

Catarrh of the Stomach.

"Is there nausea or vomiting?"
"Are you costive?"
"Do you belch up gas?"
"Are you light-headed?"
"Is your tongue coated?"
"Do you have waterbrash?"
"Is there pain or bloating after eating?"
"Are you nervous and weak?"
"Do you have sick-headache?"
"Do you have a disgust for breakfast?"
"Do you have distress after eating?"
"Do you at times have diarrhoea?"
"Is there a rush of blood to the head?"
"Is there a gnawing in the stomach?"
"Are you dizzy when you get up suddenly?"
"Do you feel faint when stomach is empty?"
"Do you feel oppressed when stomach is full?"

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